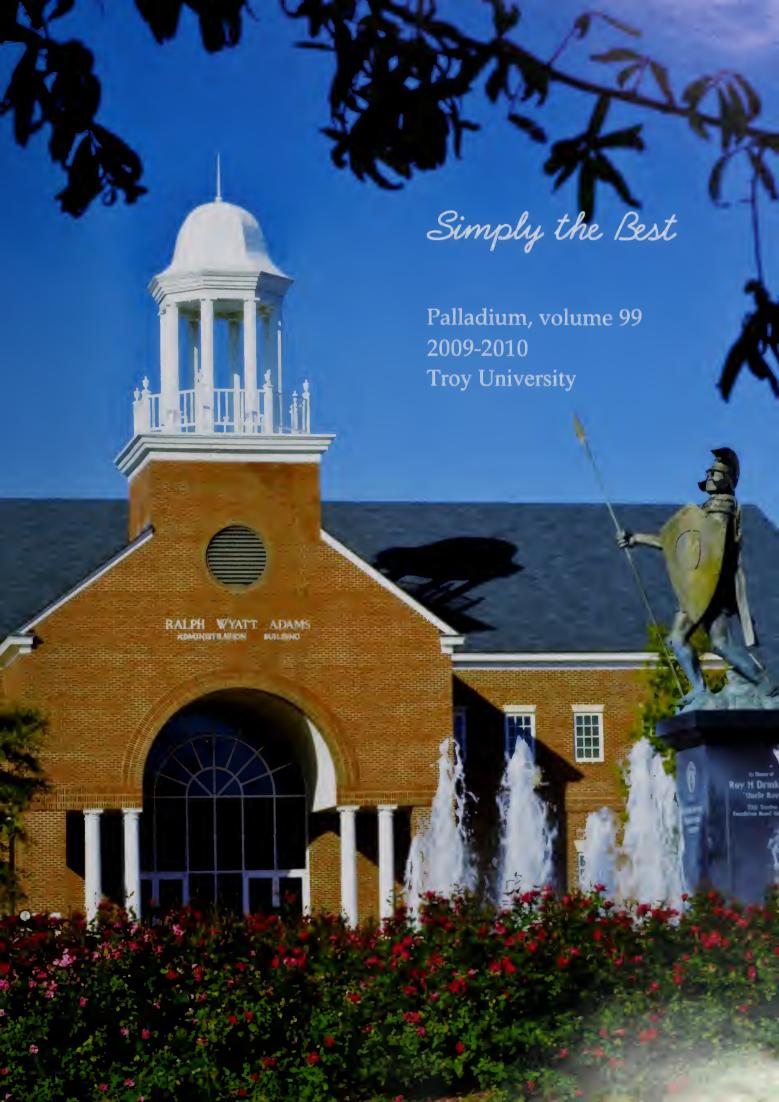
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Palladium 2009-2010



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Simply the Best

According to a study conducted Forbes Magazine in August 2009, Troy University is the top public college in the state of Alabama. Troy was ranked among 600 other colleges in the United States. The criteria concentrated on areas such as student assessments, success of Troy University alumni, and student-faculty ratio.

The Princeton Review also named Troy as one of the best colleges in the southeastern United States. This is the fifth year that Troy has been placed in this prestigious category. "This distinction underscores our philosophy at Troy that the most important thing we do is serve our students," said Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr., Chancellor of Troy University. The study was based on surveys by students in areas that include academics, administration, and school life.

The theme of the 2009-2010 Palladium is "Simply the Best." When a person is asked why he thinks Troy is the best, a variety of responses can be expected. Some may say Troy has the best athletic program. The Palladium staff believes that everyone who is a part of Troy University is involved in making it "Simply the Best."

As you turn the pages of the 2009-2010 Palladium, you can see "Simply the Best" demonstrated in Campus Life, Sports, Academics, Organizations, Greeks, and People.

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IMPACT 2009

The few months prior to starting college are filled with excitement, nerves, and anticipation. Students buy school supplies and dorm necessities. Parents help handle piles of paperwork, and siblings start converting the old rooms of brothers and sisters to places to hang out with friends. Amongst all of this ongoing chaos is a program designed to show future Troy Trojans what college is really all about.

Up until IMPACT, a student's idea of college is often a surreal one obscured by the thoughts of football games and Greek life. IMPACT is geared towards preparing all incoming freshman and transfer students for life at Troy University.

IMPACT is a two-day program that provides all the essentials for success at Troy University. Day 1 consists of checking into Trojan Village, the student's home for the duration of IMPACT, being assigned to a group, attending various informational presentations and browse sections. During the first night, enthusiastic IMPACT leaders perform skits. A fun-filled night of friendly competition between groups with a field day styled contest takes place on the intramural fields. The first day is meant to be informative enough to properly prepare students for college life yet fun enough to keep them excited and looking forward to fall.

On the other hand, Day 2 of IMPACT is strictly business. Students, with the help of IMPACT leaders, design a first semester schedule of classes and print it out along with the dreaded account balance that the students gladly hand to parents.

Students and parents alike leave IMPACT with a great feeling about what life at Troy University will bring. IMPACT is a highlight of every Trojan's summer before college.

IMPACT 2009 leaders did a great job and deserve recognition for their outstanding contribution: Marcie Boyd, Liz Dowe, William Filmore, Andy Flowers, Elena Gaudin, Ryan Hayden, Erica Hurst, Sarah Matttox, Tim Parr, Drew Price, Nikki Roberson, and Caitlyn Wade.



IMPACT gives incoming freshmen the opportunity to meet lifelong friends!

Odyssey

Troy University welcomed new students to campus on August 9, 2009, with the annual Odyssey Convocation. This event gave the students who attended the opportunity to meet others and learn about the traditions and expectations of Troy University. The Odyssey Convocation is the official welcoming and start of the Troy University experience for new students all around.

"Odyssey provides us the opportunity to illustrate the traditions that make college life enjoyable," said Buddy Starling, dean of Admissions.

The key speaker for Odyssey 2009 was Deborah McGill. She is a 1990 graduate of Troy University with a Bachelor's degree in Political Science and History. While at Troy, McGill served as Student Government Association President and was a member of Chi Omega sorority. She also received her Master's degree from Auburn University Montgomery.

McGill is a board member of the National Association of Industrial and Office Properties, a certified economic developer, and an instructor for the International Economic Development Council.

She works for EGS Commercial Real Estate in Birmingham and concentrates on brokerage, consulting, land development, and site selection for industrial service groups.

She has previously worked with the Jefferson County Economic and Industrial Development Authority.

When the Odyssey Convocation was over, students were invited to the "Post-Convocation Party," which included "Think Fast," a game competition, while family members and friends enjoyed a reception hosted by Dr. and Mrs. Jack Hawkins Jr. Students and parents were also encouraged to stop by the Student Success Center in Eldridge Hall.



Deborah McGill, a graduate of Troy University, addresses the audience during Odyssey Convocation 2009.



New Troy University students wait in line at the end of Odyssey to receive t-shirts.

During each Odyssey Convocation, the Odyssey torch is lit by faculty representatives and students from each of the different colleges.





Dr. Jack Hawkins Jr. and Deborah McGill salute the American flag at the 2009 Odyssey Convocation.



ROY shows Trojan pride during Odyssey.



A Troy University cheerleader shows her school spirit and enthusiasm to everyone at Odyssey.

Troy University Homecoming 2009

Homecoming game day 2009 was filled with festivities. Saturday morning began with an exciting Homecoming parade throughout downtown Troy in which organizations displayed floats, local bands marched, and the community showed Trojan pride.

On campus, there were countless fans tailgating and reuniting with alumni. 17th Floor performed on the Shack Quad all morning entertaining students and fans.

The day culminated at 2:00 pm at Movie Gallery Veterans Stadium for the Sound of the South pregame show and the presentation of the Homecoming Court.

The 2009 Homecoming Queen Court included Jalissa Ellis, Olivia Johnson, Lacey Phillips, Nikki Roberson, and Mimi Williams.

Members of the 2009 Homecoming King Court included Terrence "T-Time" Dixon, Andy Flowers, Pokey Hayden, Troy Taylor, and Judson Vaughan.

At halftime of the Trojans' 50-26 lead over North Texas, Chancellor Jack Hawkins and Governor Bob Riley crowned Terrence "T-Time" Dixon as Homecoming King and Mimi Williams as Homecoming Queen.

After the King and Queen were crowned, the Sound of the South Alumni Band entertained the crowd for the remainder of halftime.

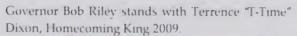
As the game's last whistle blew, fans lined out of the stadium and returned to their tents to watch other games on TV with friends. As the week's excitement came to a close, thoughts of next year were on everyone's mind.



Homecoming Queen Mimi Williams and Homecoming King Terrence "T-Time" Dixon are accompanied by their families and Troy University representatives.



This symbol represents the celebration of 100 years of Trojan football.







The Tropolitan proudly displays its Homecoming float during the annual parade.



Mimi Williams is crowned 2009 Troy University Homecoming Queen by Governor Bob Riley.

A Troy University student is all smiles during Homecoming Day 2009.

Alpha Gamma Delta sorority proudly displays the mark of the 100th year of Troy football on the back of its Homecoming float.







These Trojan fans brave the cold weather and wait for the Homecoming parade to begin.



Band members lead familiar sounds during the 2009 Homecoming parade in downtown Troy.

Homecoming Spirit

Homecoming week is anticipated months in advance. Preparations begin immediately after the theme is announced, and alumni reserve tents to ensure a spot on "Tailgate Terrace." As the Homecoming court elections begin, the excitement goes to a whole new level.

Homecoming 2009 was no different. This year's theme was "Dreams of the Past, Visions of the Future... A Legacy of Champions" in light of the 100th year of Troy football.

To add to the excitement, there were many competitions throughout the week. The series of competitions kicked off with the always-entertaining dance competition. Participating fraternities, sororities, and organizations performed original dance numbers in front of a packed Claudia Crosby Theater teeming with enthusiastic students. Many believed the dance competition to be the highlight of the week.

Those taking home first place were Farmhouse, Alpha Gamma Delta, and the Baptist Campus Ministries for the co-ed division.

The week continued with a skit competition in which Greek and co-ed organizations performed an original skit using random props assigned by the Student Government Association. Winners were Alpha Tau Omega, and Baptist Campus Ministries in the co-ed division.

Other competitions throughout the week were floats, banners, and a dessert cook-off. Overall winners by division were Alpha Tau Omega, Alpha Gamma Delta, and Baptist Campus Ministries.



Members of the Sound of the South can be seen participating in the Homecoming parade.



A Troy University cheerleader shows her school spirit during the Homecoming parade

Miss Troy University

The beautiful and talented women of Troy University competed in the Miss Troy University 2010 Pageant. This year's pageant was held on January 30, 2010. Each year ten contestants are judged based on their leadership skills, talent, casual wear, swimsuits, evening wear, and on-stage questions by the selection panel. These young women are known to be campus leaders, active in athletics, student government, and collegiate organizations. As a result of being crowned Miss Troy University 2010, there are benefits such as receiving a scholarship to Troy, awards, and being able to represent Troy in the Miss Alabama pageant.

Allison Farrington of Andalusia was crowned Miss Troy University 2010. She was crowned by Miss Troy University 2009, Marjorie Yessick of Northport. Farrington is a graduate student majoring in education. She is the daughter of Jay and Beverly Farrington.

First runner-up was Megan Picklesimer, a junior broadcast journalism major from Chelsea; second runner-up, Sydnii Todd, a sophomore broadcast journalism major from Birmingham; third runner-up, Allison Reynolds, a freshman human resources management major from Auburn; and fourth runner-up, Mary Allison Cross, a graduate student counseling major from Smiths.

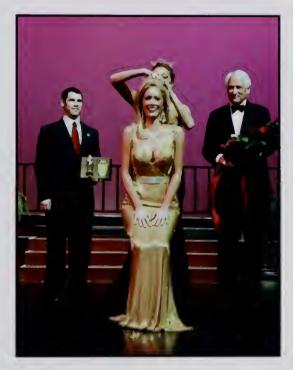
Kathryn Hobgood, a junior biology major from Semmes was named Miss Congeniality. Aaron Taylor of Troy University Television was the emcee.



Miss Troy University 2010, Allison Farrington (center) poses with the other four finalists (from left) Mary Allison Cross, Sydnii Todd, Megan Picklesimer, and Allison Reynolds.



Miss Troy University 2010, Allison Farrington.



Allison Farrington is crowned Miss Troy University 2010 by last year's winner, Marjorie Yessick.



Miss Troy University 2010 and Miss Troy University 2009

Blood Drives

Every year Troy University holds blood drives. The Student Government Association sponsors one blood drive in the fall and one blood drive in the spring.

On Wednesday, September 30, 2009, a blood drive was held in the Trojan Center Ballrooms. This event known as the "Blood Bowl" was a competition between Troy University and Middle Tennessee State University. Both schools competed to see which one could donate the most pints of the blood.

Kristel Lawrence, a junior from Slapout, AL, said, "My brother was born premature; therefore, he had to receive blood transfusions."

Lawrence also commented, "If I was in a situation where I needed blood, I hope someone be giving blood." A second blood drive was held on March 16, 2010, on the second floor of the Trojan Center. Every year the American Red Cross assists with the blood drives by helping to set up the procedures. According to the Red Cross website, a blood donation can save up to three lives and up to 38,000 blood donations are needed each day.

A high goal is set for the blood drives every year. This year, 175 pints of blood were received. The fact that more blood was accumulated shows that more and more students are getting involved every year. Blood drives are a great way to give back to the community. Students who choose to give blood should always be proud of themselves for doing so because they may have just saved someone's life.



Troy University students patiently wait to donate blood. Blood donations are a great way to give back to the community.



Abby Gresham is one of the many Troy University students who participated in the Blood Bowl.



A student waves to the camera while serving as a volunteer during the fall blood drive.

Shavar Simmons, a sophomore from Atlanta, Georgia, smiles for the camera while giving blood.



Help for Haiti Relief Concert

On a Tuesday afternoon on January 12, 2010, the Haitian community's world was "rocked." A 7.0 magnitude earthquake hammered Haiti, a Caribbean country that is part of Hispaniola, west of the Dominican Republic. Following the devastating earthquake, numerous aftershocks that included 6.0 magnitudes hit the area. This onslaught left over 100,000 people dead and millions more homeless and injured.

Immediately relief efforts began with everyone wanting to lend a helping hand. Several organizations began taking donations to help in these relief efforts. As a college student, one might feel helpless, but organizers of Troy University's "Help for Haiti Relief Concert" wanted to do something about that. Soon after the disaster, preparations began for the concert, which included some of the area's and state's best talent, such as Kenny Heard, The Pork Band, and The J. Harvey Johnson Band. The final set list included eleven artists and bands.

Students donated money at the door, often exceeding the recommended \$5.00. The concert that was held in the Elm St. Recreation Gym began at 3:00 in the afternoon and lasted well after 10:00 pm. The highlight for most of the students was when the Nasty Nate Experience, consisting entirely of football players and headlined by campus celebrity, Bear Woods, took the stage and gave a high-energy performance.

Megan Welch, a freshman undeclared major from Alexander City, said, "It was cool to see the event come from an idea in someone's head to actually watching the bands play. It makes me proud to be a Trojan to see us coming together to help Haiti instead of taking the easy route and just watching."

The concert was a huge success, as it raised over \$3,000 and even got state and national publicity when it was plugged on ESPN.com. As a school, Troy University should be proud for its contribution to the Haiti relief efforts.



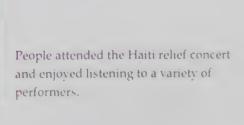
Justin Grimes plays songs for the audience during the Help for Haiti concert.



Jason Johnson smiles as he entertains the crowd during the concert.



Todd Kelley donated his time and talents in order to help raise money for Haiti.



Night Life

The demands of being a college student can sometimes become overwhelming. When this happens, students take to the town to enjoy the local nightlife. Although Troy may be a smaller city, there are still things that students can do on any given night to enjoy their free time.

A popular choice is for students to head to the local hotspot "The Front Porch." Students can enjoy each other's company while listening to music and sitting at the bar. "The Double Branch" is another very popular nightspot for Troy students. Each place is constantly holding special events, such as concerts, parties, and open mic/karaoke nights.

If Troy students are not in the bar mode, there are other fun things to do. Troy's movie theater offers special discounts for students such as \$1 movie nights. Organizations on campus provide fun things for students to do with their free nights, such as casino nights, dances, ice-skating, laser tag, and step/dance shows.

If students simply cannot find anything to do, then most will improvise their fun by doing crazy college kids stuff. Groups of students can be seen on various nights mattress sliding on the golf course, playing manhunt across campus, or simply walking around the quad taking pictures.

Kelsey Mauldin, a freshman American sign language major from Troy said, "I really just like getting together with friends and hanging out playing the Wii, watching movies, and just enjoying the company of each other."

Whatever a student's preference on nightlife activities, Troy offers a variety of options. One thing remains the same throughout: the memories made will carry on even after one's time at Troy is over.



Haley McLaney and Anne Marie Owen, both from Geneva, AL, get ready to go have some fun!



Events held by the UAC always draw a large group of students.



These two girls enjoy singing karaoke at one of the popular nightspots in Troy.



Students enjoy going out at night to hear local bands play.

Dorm Life v. Off Campus Life

There are over 3,000 students enrolled on the campus of Troy University in Troy, and all of them need a place to sleep at night. While deciding where to go to college is only half of the battle, deciding on where to live is another story. There are many options, as well as opinions, as to which are the best. A student can live in one of the twelve on campus residence halls that have pros and cons.

Kristi Burgess, a junior communications studies major from Enterprise, said, "I love living on campus because you're so close to everything going on!"

Another benefit stated by Burgess is ironically a common complaint from other students: parking! She said, "You don't have to worry about parking. Living on campus means you can just get up and walk to your morning class." Burgess also likes the fact that she has a meal plan that makes dining very convenient.

On the other hand, Burgess commented on the downside of dorm life. "It's a little weird not knowing who your roommate is going to be and whether or not you will get along." Burgess also said, "Paying \$2.25 every time to wash a load of clothes is annoying. I wish I didn't have to pay to do my own laundry."

When asked about sharing bathrooms, Burgess simply stated, "It's no big deal; my suitemates are really good about sharing."

This is Burgess' first year of living in a dorm and she currently resides in Cowart Hall.

Living off campus is a popular choice for students who want complete independence. There are many apartments that cater exclusively to college students in Troy.

Lindsey Etheridge, a sophomore environmental science major from Enterprise, lives at the Grove Student Living Community. The Grove, along with other apartments in Troy, offers students a fully inclusive rent that includes fully furnished apartments, Internet, electricity and water. It also includes cable, full kitchen with appliances, washer and dryer, and private bedrooms and bathrooms for each occupant.

Etheridge commented, "I like living off campus because you are totally independent. I like having a kitchen to cook in, and having your own washer and dryer is really convenient."

Just as on-campus residents have roommates, off-campus residents have roommates as well. "Having roommates you don't know isn't as bad off campus because you can go to your room and close the door and not have to worry about them, said Etheridge.

Some disadvantages are visitor parking and paying rent on time. Allison Warren, a junior nursing major from Red Level, said, "It's annoying when your friends visit and return to their car to find a boot on their wheel that costs \$75 to remove."

Amber Rains, a freshman pre-med major from Andalusia, said, "I have to make a mental note to pay my rent on time, and it gets a little irritating."

Both Warren and Rains live at Troy Place Apartments.

There are many benefits and downsides to both living arrangements, but one thing that remains the same in wherever you choose to "hang one's hat" is your college living experience will undoubtedly be an enjoyable one.



These girls enjoy hanging out in Gardner Hall and playing the Wii.



Both on-campus and off-campus students enjoy spending time with friends on the quad.



Baillee Majors, center, smiles as she spends time with friends eating at a local restaurant

Movie Nights

The University Activities Council hosts many events throughout the week for students to enjoy and gives students to the opportunity to participate in fun activities. One of those activities is movie night that occurs twice a month.

This event used to take place at Troy University's Claudia Crosby Theater but got moved due to the attendance of few students. Beginning fall semester, movie night was moved to the Continental Cinema 5 out on Highway 231. It costs students \$1 with a student identification card.

Movie night has had an average of over 800 students to attend. Movies are usually shown on the first and third Wednesday of each month. The most popular movies that have been played are Halloween II and Final Destination. It has truly shown this event has been a success and will continue to be around as long as the UAC is allowed to use the theater.

Elisia Bonner, president of the University Activities Council, said, "I think this was a great idea. It gives students a chance to see new release movies for only a dollar."

"I personally have not been to any of the movie night showings as of yet but I can say that when it does come around to movie night that the students get very excited and really do enjoy this opportunity," said Sherri Black, a sophomore nursing major from Birmingham, AL.

So whenever you are bored and want to get out and enjoy a good movie that is recently new and only costs \$1, take advantage of this opportunity. There is not anything better than enjoying a good movie with some friends and having a good time.



Members of the UAC staff sit outside the movie theater during one of the many \$1 movie nights.



Troy University students wait in line to enter the movie theater.

UAC members smile as they enjoy socializing with each other during a movie night.



UAC members are present inside the theater to help make sure movie nights run smoothly.



Guys & Dolls

On April 22- 25, 2010, Troy's Department of Theatre and Dance, along with the John M. Long School of Music, presented the musical Guys and Dolls. This musical is based on a story and characters by Damon Runyon, music and lyrics by Frank Loesser, and a book by Jo Swerling and Abe Burrows.

This musical is set in New York City and is a perfect mix of wacky romantic comedy with a spirit of Broadway.

Guys and Dolls tells the story of a desperate gambler trying to find ways to afford his floating craps game. After making a bet with his friend that he cannot take a local Salvation Army girl to Cuba, the gambler loses.

The original production ran for 1,200 performances on Broadway starting in 1950. There is also a film version staring Marlon Brando and Frank Sinatra.

The College of Communication & Fine Arts has presented more than 50 events this year including concerts, plays, panel discussions, dance performances, gallery exhibitions and more. This provides many Troy students with the opportunity to meet with different artists and learn about their different creative processes.



The musical Guys & Dolls took place at Troy University April 22-25, 2010.



This scene from Guys & Dolls depicts a scene from the Broadway play during the 1950s.

Countless numbers of hours of practicing and preparing for a musical help lead to its success.





Troy University's Department of Theatre and Dance is fortunate to have many talented students who are able to play a variety of roles.

Tailgating

When it comes to college football, the students are excited about tailgating. During tailgating, students hang out with old friends and new friends and get together to have a good time before the game. Tailgating before the Troy University football games is a tradition.

University Avenue is where the students and others tailgate before they make their way to the football field. Along with tailgating is the Trojan Walk, where fans can see the Sound of the South perform along with football players and cheerleaders. Many tailgaters can be seen sitting under their tents just relaxing or enjoying a meal like barbecue. The tents are set up everywhere from Shackelford Quad all the way up to the entrance of the football stadium.

On football game days, students take a break from schoolwork and get in "game time" mode. The campus stadium is always filled with friends, family, and other fans who are ready to cheer their Troy Trojans to a victory!



One of the popular things to do while tailgating is to grill out and have a good time with friends.



A Troy University student shows her Trojan pride by getting a tattoo put on her face.



These women are all as smiles as they enjoy tailgating before the football game.

These men are busy preparing food to enjoy while tailgating.





Tailgating is an event always enjoyed by lots of people.

ISCO Festival

Walking around campus, one would be hard-pressed to not notice Troy University's international influence. Flags from represented countries cast shadows on the baseball field, Chinese terra cotta warriors guard the entrance to Trojan Village, and an entire dormitory, Pace Hall, is dedicated to Troy's international students.

With such a diverse mix of cultures among the student population, International Student Cultural Organization (ISCO) has found a great way of showcasing them. The annual ISCO festival is an exciting event for the campus and community. It allows members of the town to witness the thriving international aspects of the university while American students are afforded the opportunity of a more in-depth look at their classmates' cultures.

The festival features a parade of nations where participating countries enter the festival adorned in traditional dress and displaying flags.

A talent showcase is also featured, in which students perform songs, dances, and folktales from their home countries.

Undoubtedly the most popular part of the festival is the endless tables of food that the international students prepare. This provides the exciting opportunity to sample foods from different parts of the world.

If students or community members taste a dish they like, cookbooks are available to purchase with proceeds benefiting a local organization.

Donavan Harrelson, a freshman marketing major from Red Level, said, "The best part was definitely the food! I love trying new things, and the festival is the perfect place to do that."

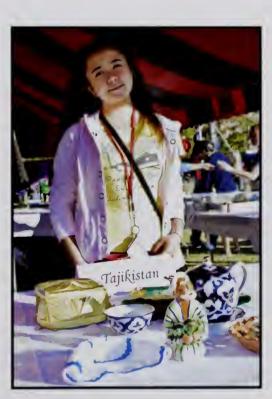


Students from various countries participated in the 2010 ISCO Festival.



A Troy University student helps children make arts and crafts during an ISCO event.





This woman represents her country, Tajikistan, during coffee and tea tasting on the Quad.

These two friends enjoy playing cricket, a popular sport in many countries.

Fraternity Row Construction

As Troy University continues to have increased enrollment, academic/athletic success, and national recognition, it is also constantly improving its already great campus. With ongoing renovations and new buildings such as Hawkins Hall and Trojan Village, Troy University's facade is ever-changing.

Next on the list for improvements is Fraternity Row. Troy's Greek system is a staple among campus activities and a vital part of the University. The old fraternity houses were in need of a face-lift. Although they were still functional, Troy officials believed it was time for some new ones.

The new houses will still be located on the familiar Pell Avenue. The University had other locations such as Madison Avenue and the golf course as candidates but decided to keep the houses on Pell since it is a familiar location and to beautify that side of campus.

The new facility will have seven separate fraternity houses neighboring one another where the originals stood. Each house will have 24 beds, a social area, a chapter meeting room, a kitchenette, and laundry facilities.

Not all fraternities will be housed at the new site, but there will be room for expansion in the future if the needed arises.

Current fraternity members are excited about the new houses being built. Joshua Douglass, a senior criminal justice major and a brother of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity from Andalusia, said, "I believe that having the new fraternity row will greatly enhance the ever-so-strong brotherhood of fraternities that are on this campus! It enhances Troy University in a new upcoming light, which is a great recruitment tool. I cannot wait for them to be done."

The new houses are scheduled to be complete in time for Fall Rush 2010.



Construction workers are busy each day and working hard to complete the fraternity houses before rush in the fall of 2010.



Seven fraternity houses are being built on Pell Avenue.

The construction of fraternity houses is just one of the many construction projects happening at Troy.



Bibb Graves Construction

Troy University has made many changes over the years. From the quad renovation and construction of buildings such as the General Academic Building, Barnes and Noble, and Jack Hawkins Jr. Hall, to merging into one great university worldwide, Troy students are always left wondering what change is coming next.

Troy University is now in the process of planning one of the biggest projects yet: the renovation of Bibb Graves Hall. On Saturday, September 19th, Troy University officially broke ground on the first major renovation of historic Bibb Graves Hall in more than thirty years.

The renovation will add more than 40,000 square feet to the building. The expanded space will include additional classrooms with upgraded technology, computer labs, large, open student lounge areas, and an auditorium with more than 250 seats. The renovation will also include a new wing along the back of the building that will house the University's Center for International Business and Economic Development (CIBED) and the Confucius Institute.

Troy Chancellor Dr. Jack Hawkins Jr. called Bibb Graves Hall Troy's signature building and one of the university's most enduring symbols. "Bibb Graves Hall is symbolic of our vision for Troy University— a reverence for our rich history even during an era of change," Dr. Hawkins said. "Bibb Graves Hall is a place where the traditional and the transformational will intersect. It will house our College of Business, which has produced outstanding graduates for more than fifty years. It will also house two of our more innovative initiatives, the Confucius Institute and the CIBED."

The renovation was funded in part by \$8 million in bond money secured by Governor Bob Riley, Dr. Hawkins said. He also thanked the numerous private donors who contributed to the project.

The ceremony included remarks from Neal Wade, Director of the Alabama Development Office, who said the CIBED would make important contributions to economic development in Alabama. "I think this center is going to do a great job of introducing Alabama's economy to countries we need to do business in," Wade said. "I think it will also lead the way in training the next generation of economic developers for this state."

Dr. Yan Guohua, Director and Counsel of Education at the Consulate General of the People's Republic of China in Houston, Texas, said Troy's Confucius Institute— the only one in Alabama— will provide new opportunities to study Chinese language and culture.

The Sorrell College of Business students and faculty are all excited about the renovation of Bibb Graves Hall and cannot wait to move into their new home. In the meantime, McCartha Hall is currently housing the College of Business until the project is complete.



Construction on Bibb Graves Hall will lead to an upgraded, state-of-the-art facility.





A construction worker operates a bulldozer to clear an area so a new addition can be built on the back of the existing Bibb Graves Hall.

An interior view of construction taking place inside Bibb Graves Hall.

Helen Keller Lecture

The 15th annual Helen Keller Lecture was held on April 6, 2010, in the Claudia Crosby Theater. The keynote speaker for this year's event was Anthony Natale.

Although Natale is deaf, this has not prevented him from playing in movies such as Jerry Maguire and City of Angels. Natale has also played in the movie Mr. Holland's Opus.

In addition to being in movies, Natale has also been on TV shows that include 7th Heaven and Any Dav Now.

Natale graduated from California State University Northridge with a Bachelor of Arts degree in film production. He also serves as a sign language translator.

Emily Boulware, a freshman Interpreting major from Chelsea, AL, said, "I truly enjoyed this. I think it brought deaf culture to the attention of the hearing population at Troy."

"I was excited to see so many hearing people at this event. I believe that it was a great experience for those who may not have known much about ASL and deaf culture. Experiences like this are important," said Bailey Bankston, a junior Interpreting major from Boston, MA.



Anthony Natale speaks to the audience during the 15th annual Helen Keller Lecture.



Anthony Natale interacts with the audience during the Helen Keller Lecture.



Mrs. Janice Hawkins speaks to the audience as she introduces Anthony Natale.



These two people are communicating with each other by using sign language.



Many people attended the Helen Keller Lecture held on the campus of Troy University on April 6, 2010.

What's for Dinner? How about Chicken?

One of the things that are popular among Troy students is to try local restaurants. There are different types of restaurants, from fast-food to sit -down places. A trend among students and the restaurant business in Troy is chicken restaurants. If you are looking for a particular type of chicken, you will probably be able to find it at one of the many chicken restaurants.

The traditional fast-food chicken restaurants include KFC. It has been in Troy for many years and is a favorite among students. Popeye's Chicken is another popular fast-food chicken restaurant. Located on Highway 231, these restaurants are in a suitable location for college students who might be in a hurry to get somewhere such as class.

More conveniently is Chick-fil-A, located in the Trojan Center, for students who live on campus. Students who live off campus also enjoy being able to eat at Chick-fil-A while on campus. If they want chicken, they do not have to worry about leaving the campus for food. There are many days where you will see a line forming at Chick-fil-A as people wait for a chicken sandwich, chicken nuggets, or waffle fries.

Crowe's is a specialty chicken restaurant in Troy. It is locally owned and operated and has been in Troy for many years. On game day, you can find many people tailgating and eating Crowe's chicken.

Zaxby's is another popular chicken chain. Zaxby's offers different chicken alternatives such as a grilled chicken sandwich and "Zalads" with the choice of fried or grilled chicken. Many people are also fans of Zaxby's sauce which is just right for eating with chicken tenders and fries.

Buffalo Junction is another restaurant in Troy that is known for some of its chicken items. It serves chicken wings and a variety of sauces. You can even order chicken that is tossed in sauce!

With more than five restaurants in Troy that serve a variety of chicken, there is something for everyone to enjoy!











March Parade/Spring Preview Day

Each year, the Troy Admissions Office hosts two preview days, one in the fall and one in the spring. The purpose of Trojan Day is to introduce college life to potential students and hopefully encourage them to make Troy their college home.

"Approximately, 1,400 people attended the fall 2009 preview day, which included free admission to a Troy Trojan football game, and approximately 1,000 people attended the spring 2010 preview day, which included a St. Patrick's Day parade," said Tiffani Stephens, Director of High School and Community College Relations.

Both the fall and spring preview days include a browse session with student organizations and academic departments, the Chancellor's Address, a performance by the Troy Dance Repertory Ensemble, Admissions, Scholarship, and Housing presentation, and a campus tour including the residence halls. An event, such as a football game, baseball game, or football spring scrimmage, is available at both preview days.

Trojan Day is very important because it leaves a lasting impression of Troy to potential students. Kayla Tracy, a senior from Zion Chapel High School who attended fall preview day, said, "My mom and I really enjoyed our visit at the Troy campus. The ambassadors were all really nice and helpful, and I especially enjoyed talking with a faculty member from the Nursing department, since I plan to major in Nursing when I come to college. I am confident that my decision to attend Troy will be one of the best I have ever made!" Like Kayla, hopefully many more students were impressed with what they saw at Trojan Day and will decide to become a part of the wonderful Trojan family.



A float during the St. Patrick's Day parade welcomes Troy University alumni back for this special weekend.



A member of the Sound of the South entertains people on Spring Preview Day.

Miss Troy University, Allison Farrington, waves to the crowd during the parade.





Members of Kappa Delta sorority march in the St. Patrick's Day Parade.

Pep Rallies

Pep rallies are a time for students to come together and show their school spirit. They are held on a Thursday night before the home football games. Pep rallies bring together the cheerleaders, students, band members, teachers, and most importantly the football team and coaches.

"Troy has spirit, yes we do! Troy has spirit, how about you!" is one of the many chants that can be heard during a pep rally. The Troy cheerleaders teach the cheers to the students to get them involved in the pep rally and excited about the game.

Each pep rally has a different theme. People show their Trojan spirit through face paint, body paint, or by wearing Troy T-shirts. Another exciting part of pep rallies is T-ROY, who helps to get fans pumped up for the big game on Saturday!

If you are looking for something fun to do on a Thursday night during football season, you should consider going to a pep rally! It's a great way to have fun with friends and to show your support to the Troy University football team.



This group of friends are excited about going to the Pep Rally!



School spirit is always shown during pep rallies.



Members of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority show their school spirit during a pep rally.



Troy University football player Bear Woods poses with T-ROY during a pep rally.



A group of students from the Baptist Campus Ministries shows their love for Troy.

Spring Break

Spring Break is a time that all college students look forward to. It is a time when you can close up the books and get away from the stress of those classes.

This year, Troy's Spring Break was on March 8th through March 12th. Some students even save up their sick days so that they can start their break a little early.

It is also that time of the year to get those bodies in shape, buy that perfect swimsuit, and plan a trip! Many students plan trips to places they have never been before, while others are content staying home and getting that much needed "R and R." Either way, Spring Break is a much-needed week were students can just take a break.

Once Spring Break is over, it's time to crack those books back open and get back to work! But don't worry... there's always summertime to look forward to!



Ally Seay, a junior from Geneva, AL, visited the Biltmore Estate in Asheville, NC, during Spring Break 2010.



Hayden Goodnight, center, enjoys a Spring Break trip with friends.



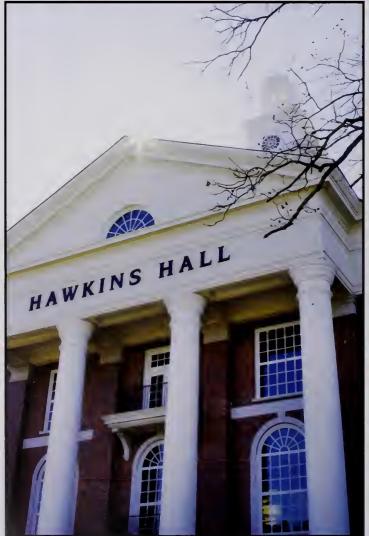
Many Troy students enjoy going to the beach during Spring Break.

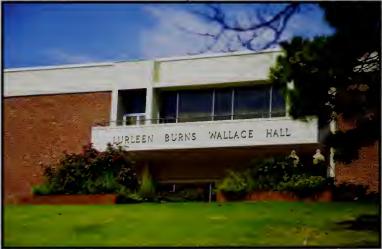


Spring Break equals a week of no school and lots of fun!

Troy at a Glance

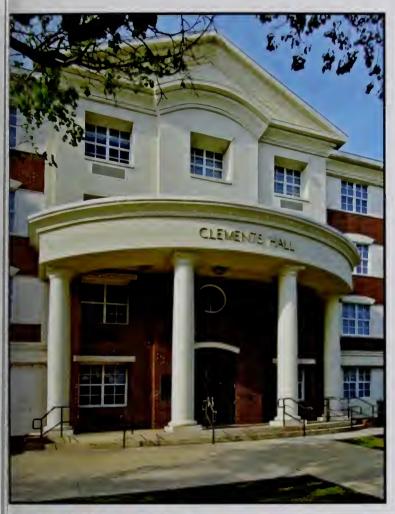








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T-ROY

Troy University is known by many icons, one of which might be a bit more well-known than others. T-Roy has been around for decades at Troy University and is every little kid's favorite part of any event held at Troy.

This year T-Roy's personalities were by students Tae Madden, the T-Roy for the past four years, and two newcomers, Troy Taylor and Brett Lewis.

During the school year T-Roy and his followers have done magic with the University and also throughout the community. T-Roy has raised enough money with the help of the Student Government and the University Alumni Association to purchase him a new costume. Many changes were made to the new costume, which not only allowed T-Roy to perform more easily and freely but also raised his performance.

"The new suit has allowed us to perform the way we have wanted to these last few years," said Tae Madden, one of T-Roy's characters. "There is a chin strap inside the head to make it stay on whenever we do something that involves the head being involved. In the old suit, we would have to hold the head steady with our own hands almost every time we wanted to perform. With this new costume, we have more freedom."

The new costume not only allows T-Roy to move more freely but also has given Troy's mascot a different look from the old costume.

The new costume makes this the third mascot costume the University has had and each one has been different.

During the Sun Belt Conference basketball tournament in Hot Springs, Arkansas, T-Roy faced off against other conference mascots at halftime of each game in a dance-off. T-Roy was undefeated throughout the tournament, winning every dance competition easily. These victories were easier due to the new improvements to the mascot uniform.

Besides attending sporting events and being more active on campus, T-Roy plans to compete at the Universal Cheerleading Association Mascot Nationals which is held at Disney World in Orlando, Florida, in the upcoming 2010-2011 school year.

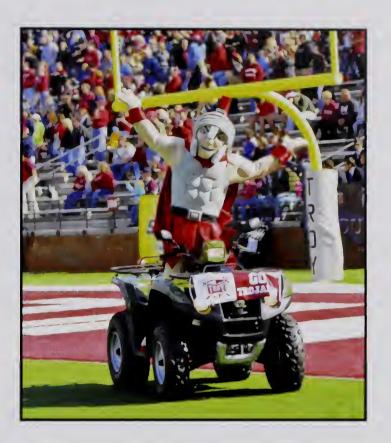
"I believe T-Roy has the talent to win Nationals," said Madden. "It has always been a dream of his to win a national championship as a mascot."

T-Roy went to UCA summer camp this past summer and took first place in the skit out of 37 other mascots from around the South, including Aubie from Auburn and Big Al from the University of Alabama.

T-Roy ended up bringing home a second place trophy overall for the entire weekend but was pleased he could beat everyone in the skit.

T-Roy has been around for many years and plans on sticking around for as long as we let him. He enjoys dancing, eating, playing jokes on people and cheering on his beloved Trojans. He looks forward to seeing you at Troy's events, but watch out—he is not afraid to pull pranks on people he does not know.





T-Roy never fails to get the crowed pumped up and can always be seen showing his Trojan pride!





SOUND OF THE SOUTH

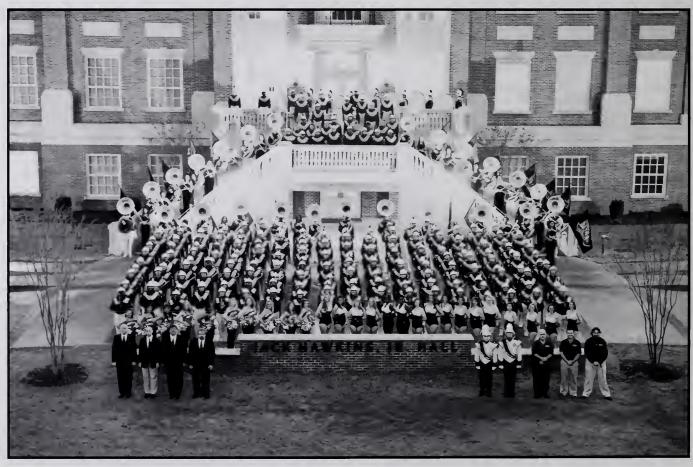
A Trojan's life would not be complete without the renowned sound of the Troy University Sound of the South marching or pep band.

The band is led by drum majors Gene Butler and Josh Wine and is nationally recognized.

They performed at football games, pep rallies, basketball games, volleyball games, and parades, giving devoted Trojan fans background music.

Band members got a jumpstart on other students, arriving in Troy before the fall semester for band camp where they learn music and choreography for their halftime show.

Members of the marching band devote their afternoon to practice during the fall semester and participate in exhibitions in order to get their sound and styling perfected.



2009-2010 Troy University Sound of the South



Being a member of the Sound of the South requires hard work and determination.



Members of the band entertain the crowd during a football game.



It is a prestigious honor to be a part of the Sound of the South at Troy University.



The band gets Trojan football fans excited about an upcoming game!

TROY V. FLORIDA ATLANTIC

After another victory from the Troy University Trojans, they sealed the deal and became the Sunbelt Conference Champions for the fourth consecutive year.

"My mind is immediately popping straight to the celebration of a great win, another championship, at least a share, and another bowl bid for this program," said Larry Blakeney, head coach of Troy University's football team. "This win is bittersweet, a little bit because you are happy for all we have been able to do together, because you know those guys won't be back for another year."



Troy University started out strong and was led by captain and quarterback Levi Brown for another record setting day.

Brown again broke the record for most single-game vards with 477.

After an 11-play, 90-yard drive, running back Shawn Southward started the day's scoring with an end zone rush from the 1-yard line.

Soon, however, Patrick Cherry caught a 19-yard touchdown pass from Brown, putting his mark on the board with his first touchdown of the 2009 season. This would bring the Trojans to 14-0 over the FAU Owls.

FAU would answer back to the Trojans, as running back Alfred Morris fought his way into the end zone to shrink the lead to 14-7.

To kick off the second quarter, Troy University kicker Michael Taylor put his name into the mix as he tacked on another three points for the Trojans. This would not only put the Trojans ahead by 10, but also would be a new personal best for Taylor, with a 43-yard completion.

After another demanding stand from the Trojan defense, Jerrel Jernigan caught a pass from Brown which led to a 70 yard gain to the 1-yard line. This set up Troy's third touchdown of the day.

"We are just on all cylinders right now," said Jernigan, Troy University's wide receiver. "All the receivers are catching the ball. You can't double one of us because one of us will be open. DB's have to play man up and hopefully I get open."

Later in the game, Cornelius Williams and Tebiarus Gill also posted receiving touchdowns on the night, and Maurice Greer scored a rushing touchdown.

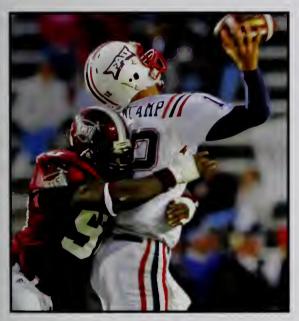
FAU would answer back with two more touchdowns; however, it would not be enough to catch up to the motivated Trojan offense.

Although this would be the last time the seniors would get to play in the Movie Gallery Stadium, many can't wait for the next stages in life. Whether it's pro football, or other successful careers, the seniors on the 2009 Troy University football team will be missed.

"Congratulations to Troy," said Howard Schnellenberger, Florida Atlantic's head coach. "Troy embarrassed us and the university. Troy outplayed us in every aspect of the game, and they won it big."



The football team celebrates being the Sun Belt Conference Champions for the fourth consecutive year.



A Troy football player tackles the opponent before he throws the football to another player.



The football player must make a quick decision of where to run in order to avoid being tackled.



Jerrel Jernigan runs towards the endzone to score a touchdown for the Trojans!



This Troy football player plays defense by tackling the FAU opponent.

GMAC BOWL TROY V. CENTRAL MICHIGAN

"Desire and Dedication" was the answer of Troy University's starting quarterback, Levi Brown, when asked which two qualities his team possessed in order to make it to the 2009-2010 Sun Belt Conference GMAC Bowl game in Mobile, Alabama.

He went on to say, "After the third game of the season, we really came together as a team and all had the same goals in sight. We were willing to do what was required in order to get to the bowl game."

In addition, Brown pointed out two players who he specifically thought did an outstanding job in both getting them to the bowl game, as well as their performance at the bowl game. "I thought Jerrel Jernigan and Dujuan Harris really stood out on our offense." Even though the bowl game was a loss for Troy (41-44), Brown says, "Just competing against a good opponent like CMU was sufficient. Also, the fact that it was a good game was what made the challenge so enjoyable."

Junior Ceil Martinec, a true Trojan fan, expressed her feeling towards the bowl game as well. When asked what the best part about attending the GMAC Bowl was, she answered, "I loved seeing Bear Woods fight for a win. His passion for the game is so exciting to watch. Consequently, it almost brought me to tears thinking about his career as a collegiate athlete coming to an end. Players who show that much fervor for something they love are what make small schools such as Troy stand out among larger schools."

Sam Sellers, a junior at Troy University in regards to football, also thoroughly enjoyed his time at the 2009 GMAC Bowl. "The best part about the bowl game was spending time with leaving seniors and representing our university further."

He not only went on to talk about the game itself, but the night life that the students of Troy take pleasure in looking forward to each year. "The location was weird at first but it wound up being all right because everything was so close. We would honestly have rather gone further than Mobile because it

gives us a sense of vacation and being around the United States instead of just Alabama."

Nicole Targa, a Trojan athlete as well as an enthusiastic Trojan football fan, also thought that somewhere such as New Orleans might have been more fun nightlife wise. However, she stated, "I was so happy for our players. I think they did an outstanding job in fighting for the bowl game title. The loss was unfortunate, but well played for. I enjoyed spending quality time with friends, and routing for a game we all know and love."





This group of girls smiles for the camera during the parade at the GMAC Bowl Game in Mobile.



Colorful floats lined the streets of downtown Mobile during the parade for the GMAC Bowl.



Parade goers captured many Mardi Gras beads and Moon Pies from floats like the one pictured above.



These Trojan fans bundle up so they can enjoy the parade.

HOMECOMING 2009 TROY V. NORTH TEXAS

On Saturday, October 24, 2009, the Troy Trojans won a victory over the North Texas Mean Green, 50-26. Not only was it this year's Homecoming game, it was a game for record setting.

Troy's senior quarterback Levi Brown broke the record for passing yards in a single game by throwing 469 yards. The last time this record was broken was by Hall-of-Famer Sim Byrd 41 years ago on September 14, 1969.

Byrd threw for 454 yards against Samford, and the record had stood for 467 games. That record was broken on a 39-yard pass down the left hash to Austin Silvoy.

Brown moved up other record lists with his performance as well. He moved to fourth in all-time passing yards, and he moved up to seventh on the all-time passing touchdowns list.

Brown was not the only Trojan breaking records, as junior running back Dujuan Harris ran for two scores, moving him to sixth place on the all-time list. Overall, the Trojans racked up 697 total offensive yards.

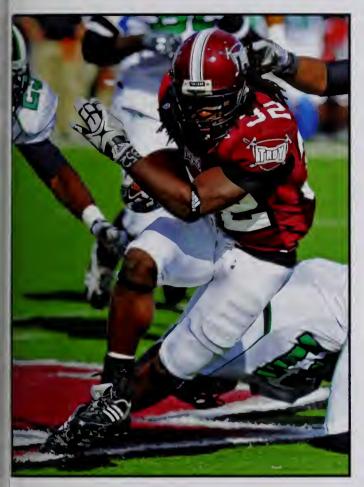
The Trojans scored two first quarter touchdowns on short Harris runs, with the two drives combining for just three minutes off the game clock.

Troy had two more quick touchdown drives in the second quarter, with a 20-yard score to Tebiarus Gill and Maurice Greer running for another. In the second quarter, Senior Bear Woods marked just the forth interception for the Trojan season. A pair of Michael Taylor field goals gave the Trojans a 3-7 halftime lead.

At the beginning of the second half of the game, Troy received the football and scored in a short time. As the game continued, the team was able to stay ahead of North Texas with a score of 50-13. The final points were scored by Shawn Southward with a two-yard run.



The football team celebrates the win over North Texas with excited fans after the game!



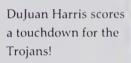
The football player goes for the touchdown!



Austin Silvoy focuses on keeping the football away from the opponent.



The football player works his way past the opponent.





This Troy football player is in action as he reaches to grab the ball and score another touchdown for Troy.

FOOTBALL SEASON SUMMARY

The Troy football team had an outstanding 2010 season. With wins over Arkansas State, Middle Tennessee, FAU, UL-Lafayette, and a GMAC Bowl Game appearance, the team is very pleased with the way the season played out.

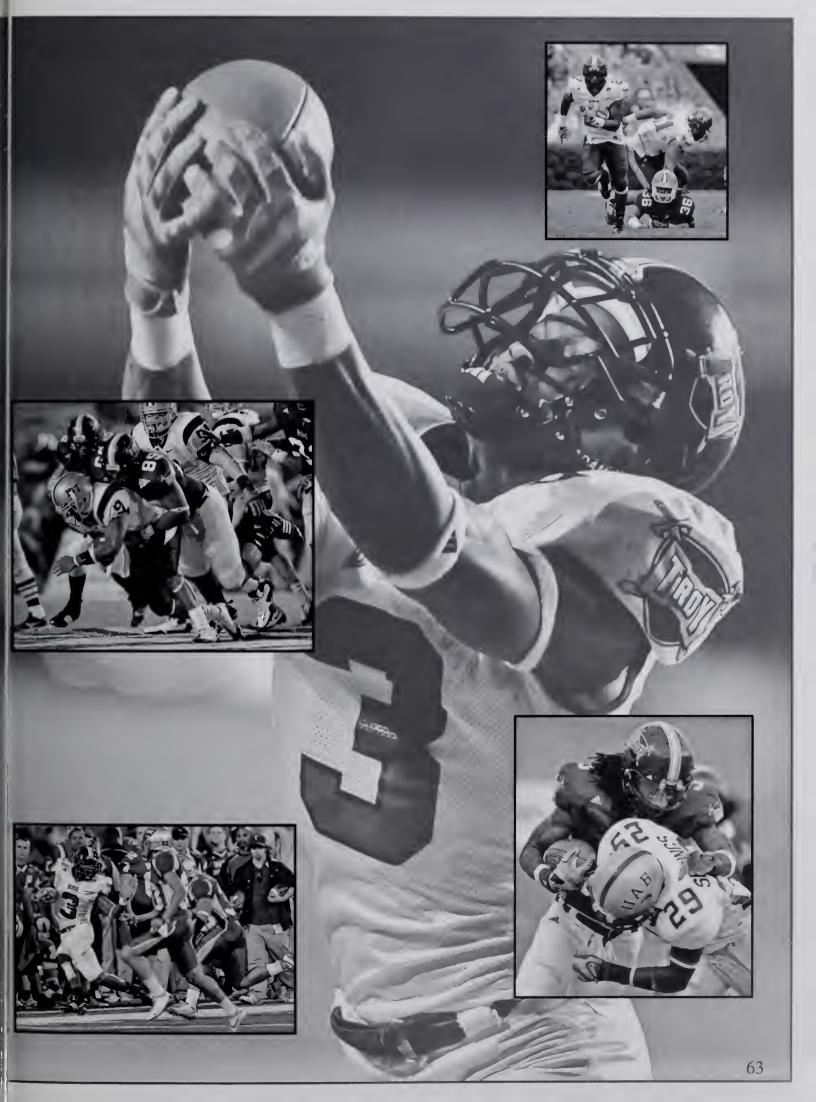
Levi Brown, a senior, said, "Coach Blakeney is the man. He is a player's coach and always has the players' best interest in mind." Brown started at quarterback this season and led his team with pride.

"Brown amongst other seniors will be greatly missed. Our seniors are true leaders," said kicker Will Goggins.

There are not many improvements obvious to the public that Troy's football team can make for next fall due to an undefeated season in regards to the Sun Belt Conference; however, Brown advises new players to step up and fill roles of graduating seniors. Many defensive starters, such as intimidating Bear Woods, and a few good offensive linemen will graduated May.

Goggins said, "We can always get better as a team." This seems like the perfect attitude for another successful season.





FOOTBALL FEATURE: LEVI BROWN



Levi Brown has had a short but successful career as quarterback for Troy University.

He is a family man and role model from Mt. Juliet, Tennessee, and is the loved son of Joe and Kay Brown. Levi enjoys drawing, the outdoors, and of course a great game of football. Brown's goal is to be in the NFL one day.

After a redshirt season, Brown has stepped back and taken charge of the Trojan offense. As soon as he was in command, Brown made one record-setting performance after another. He was named the Sun Belt Conference Newcomer of the Year and was also named Troy's Offensive Player of the Week four times in a single season.

Also, he set the school record for completions with 40 of 50 attempts completed against North Texas and

the record for passes attempted with 72 against LSU.

His 391 yards passing against North Texas rank as the most ever in a game in Coach Larry Blakeney's eighteen seasons at Troy. Brown went on to be the seventh player in school history to pass for more than 2,000 yards in a season.

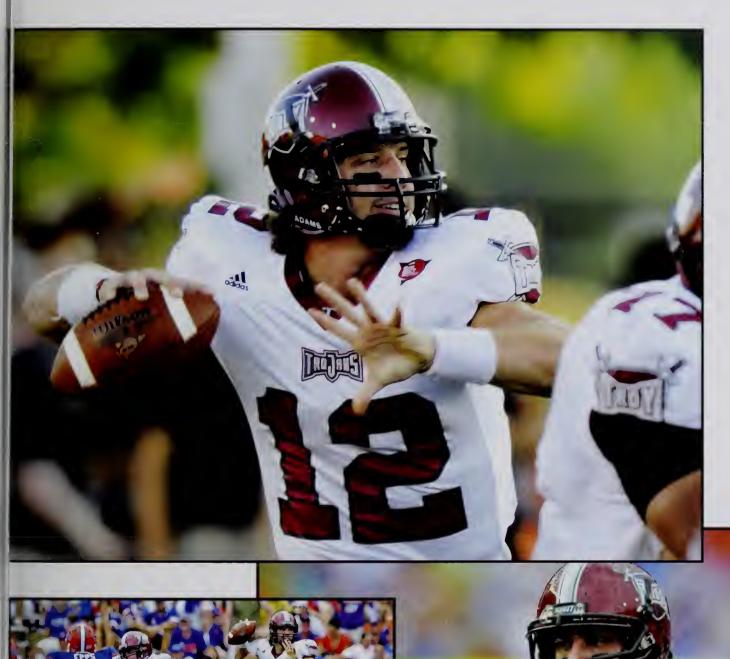
Levi Brown started his career at Troy by not throwing a single interception in his first 116 passes and allowed just three picks in 326 attempts that beat yet another school record.

During high school, Brown was an exceptional athlete at Mt. Juliet High School in Mt. Juliet, Tenn. He was named first team all-regional in football his junior year.

After high school he went on to play football at the University of Richmond in 2005, where he played under Coach Dave Clawson. Brown went on to lead his team to the 2005 Atlantic 10 championships.

Soon after his career as a Richmond Spider, Brown joined the Trojan legacy. After an impressive first season at Troy, Brown has big hopes for the upcoming year, where his goal for the team is to win the Sun Belt Conference and the bowl game.

Perhaps we will see Levi Brown in the NFL one day. Brown is a leader to his team, a role model to young kids everywhere, and above all a student-athlete at Troy University.





CHEERLEADING

The Troy University cheerleaders are inspirational and motivational leaders to not only the fans but also the athletes of Troy sports. There are thirty-three cheerleaders who make up two squads, an all-girl squad and a co-ed squad, in order to ensure that all of Troy University's major sporting events are covered.

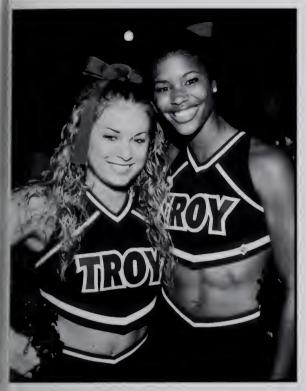
They do more than just cheer. They work with the Student Government Association in organizing and hosting the pep rallies that are held in order to get the students fired up for football games.

The Troy cheerleaders also sponsored a cheerleading camp on Tuesday, October 6, 2009. During the camp, the Trojan cheerleaders taught high school cheerleading squads cheers, stunts, jumps, and a dance routine. They were allowed the chance to perform with the Trojans at the Middle Tennessee football game that night.

On October 31, 2009, the Trojans held Spirit Day and invited other squads to come join them in the pre-game activities and parade along with performing a dance routine during one quarter of the University of Louisiana Monroe football game.



The Troy University cheerleading squad shows its skills to the audience.



These girls are friends as well as cheerleaders.



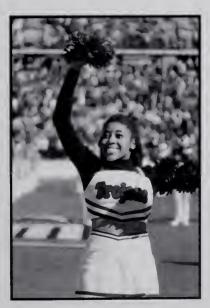
From this cheerleader's facial expression, one can tell she loves cheerleading!



A Troy cheerleader gets the crowd pumped up during one of the football games.



Cheerleaders play an important role during pep rallies.

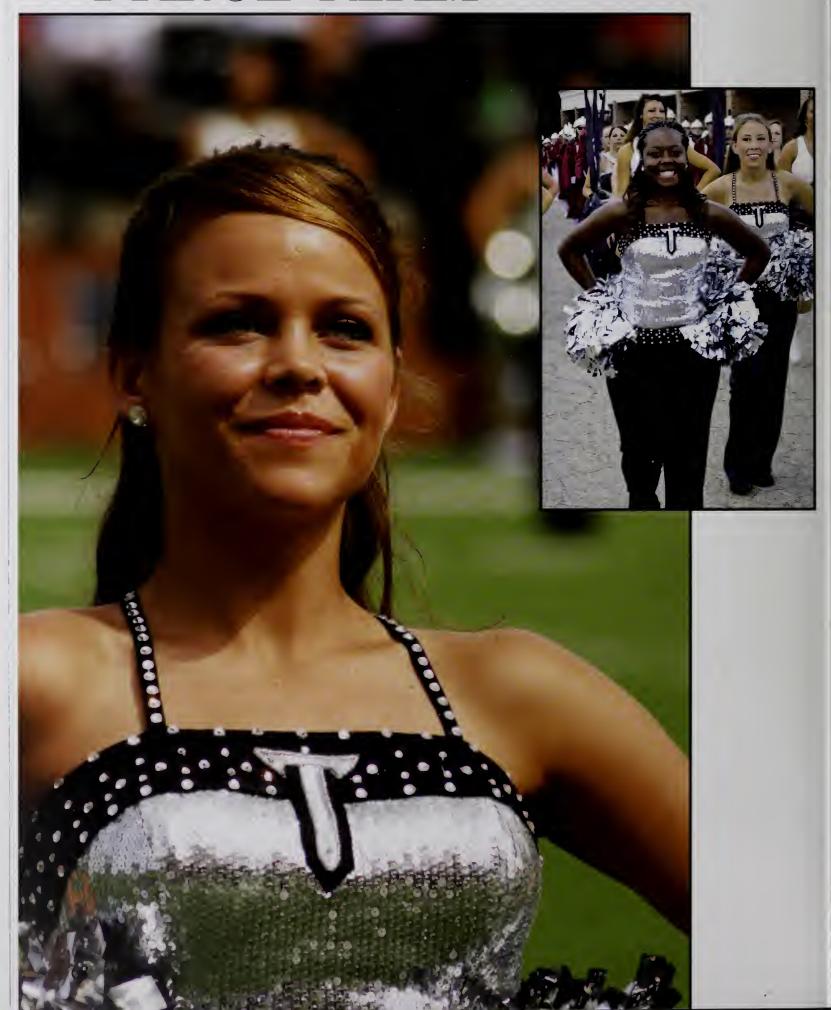


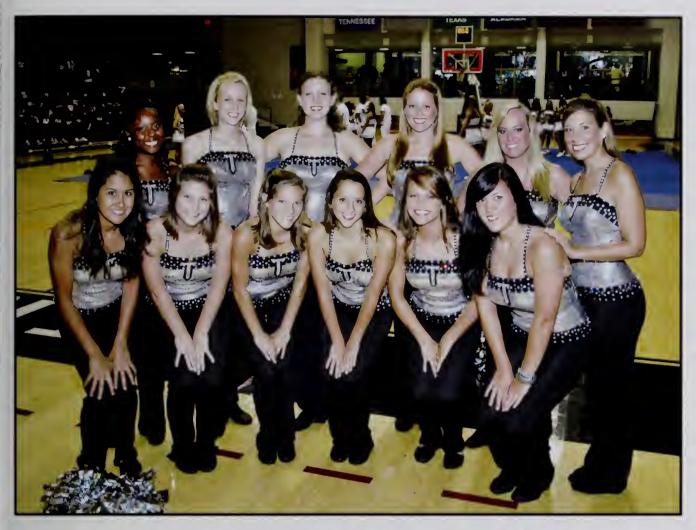
A cheerleader leads the crowd in a cheer during a football game.



It takes teamwork when being part of the cheerleading squad.

DANCE TEAM













MEN'S BASKETBALL TROY V. WESTERN KENTUCKY

After an upsetting loss to the University of South Alabama, Troy University's men's basketball team got back on track, defeating Western Kentucky University 77-69.

"It was probably the best team game we have played this year," said head coach Don Maestri. "I thought we had more contributions from more players this particular game and [more players] played well this particular game than any other game this season."

Western's AJ Slaughter started the game off with connecting four of his five three-pointers, putting the Hilltoppers ahead of the Trojans 13-6. With a roaring home crowd, the Trojans would battle back with a 12-4 run to take a 22-21 lead with a little over 12 minutes left in the first half.

The Hilltoppers would ruin Troy's momentum by going on a 16-7 run to take a demanding 35-26 lead with three minutes left in the half.

However, Troy would answer back with two consecutive scoring drives by Antywan Jones, then another by Richard Delk, to put the Trojans behind by three with 1:26 left in the first half.

At the end of the first half, Troy trailed Western Kentucky 41-35 with lead scorers being AJ Slaughter for WKU and Brandon Hazzard for Troy.

Trailing by six at the half, the Trojans brought the fire to the Hilltoppers. Trojans Richard Delk and Brandon Hazzard finally got the Troy offense in full swing. Richard Delk hit his first three-pointer since the FIU game on January 9th, while Hazzard scored a total of 18 points.

The Trojans would battle back to tie the game at 57-57 with a very nicely placed inbound pass by Mike Vogler to Vernon Taylor.

Yamene Coleman would be the answer the Trojans needed to take the lead with a pair of free throws.

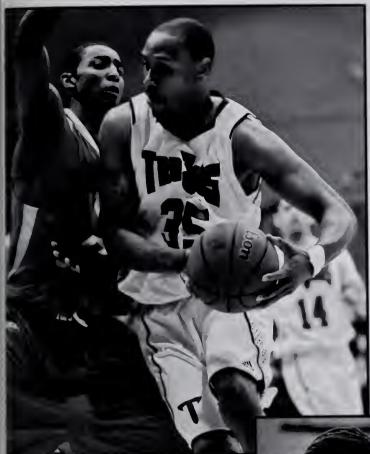
A foul shot by Vogler and a transition by Coleman gave the Trojans a 62-57 lead. Then a turnover by WKU would give Delk a chance to drain his second three-pointer of the game for an eight-point advantage, putting Troy ahead of WKU 65-57.

Western Kentucky would battle back into the thick of things, only to have Coleman and Delk ruin its run.

After trailing 41-35 at the end of the first half, Troy led at the end by 77-69. The Troy University men's basketball team showed everyone in the stands that it deserved to be one of the top teams in the Sun Belt conference.

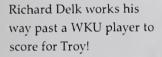
Troy ended the game with the lead scorer being Brandon Hazzard with 18 points. Tying with 14 points were Yamene Coleman and Richard Delk. However, all of the Troy players made an impact on the scoreboard in one way or another.

"I feel like this is a turning point, but still have to do work," said Richard Delk. "Our next game is Saturday, so it's a quick turnaround. We have to come out hard, forget about this game and move on to the next game."



A Troy basketball player strives to keep the ball away from the opponent.

Yamene Coleman makes his way to goal to score two for the Trojans!





MEN'S BASKETBALL SEASON SUMMARY

Troy University started the year as 3 – 0 before its first loss against the University of Florida, but would soon regain strength, and battle its way to success defeating Sun Belt Conference powerhouses like Western Kentucky, Middle Tennessee and South Alabama.

Although our Trojans would have a small stumble every now and again, they were quick to get back up on their feet. Troy University led the Sun Belt Conference with a 13 - 5 record and would finish second in the conference tournament behind North Texas.

Although the Trojans faced an upsetting loss against North Texas, they still were still able to get into the National Invitation Tournament (NIT), where they headed to Oxford, Mississippi, to face powerhouse Ole Miss in the first round.

"I think our team is very excited," said head coach Don Maestri. "It's an honor to be in postseason play. Obviously, it's an honor to be in the top 90-plus teams in the country and we look forward to competing in this tournament."

Maestri then said, "It is a tremendous honor for our university, our program and our players."

One main reason for our Trojans' success this year is their constant energy coming off the bench. With athletes like Yamene Colemen and Levan Patsatsia subbing in, the Trojans have done something this year they have struggled with in the past. The men's basketball team can now play a whole two halves without slowing down their quick game pace.

Not to mention that seniors Michael Vogler and Brandon Hazzard continued to step up their game as the season rolled on and into the conference tournament.

"I am very excited about how my senior year has played out," said Vogler. "I have no regrets and expect very impressive things from our team."

After a successful season, Troy looks ahead and plans to continue its accomplishments. Who knows? Maybe next year the Trojans will come home with a Sun Belt Conference tournament championship as well as a chance for the sweet sixteen.



BASKETBALL FEATURE: MIKE VOGLER

One thing that many college athletes can agree on is how time flies at Troy University. Many successful athletes at Troy can't believe it's already their senior year.

"It seems like just yesterday I was on my visit," said Michael Vogler of Troy University's basketball team. "Your time here will fly by, so just to give it everything you have because it will be over before you know it and you don't want to have any regrets."

Michael Vogler came to Troy in 2007 as a sophomore from Chipola College, where he played under head coach Greg Heir and was a member of the 2007 State Championship team.

Troy is known for its successful student-athletes as a Social Science major, Vogler has learned to excel in the classroom as well as the court. This has led him to not only be a great athlete but a role model to many young kids who come watch him play in the Trojan Arena.

Vogler will not look back once he leaves Troy University. He plans to continue his basketball career by pursuing pro-ball overseas but will eventually come back to the States to hopefully be a coach. However, he will never forget the basketball games and friendships he was able to gain throughout his years at Troy.

"Some of my favorite memories here at Troy were all of the friendships I was able to build over the years," said Vogler, "and our road trips, especially the trip we took to Europe this past summer. Then, of course, all of the basketball games I was able to play in."

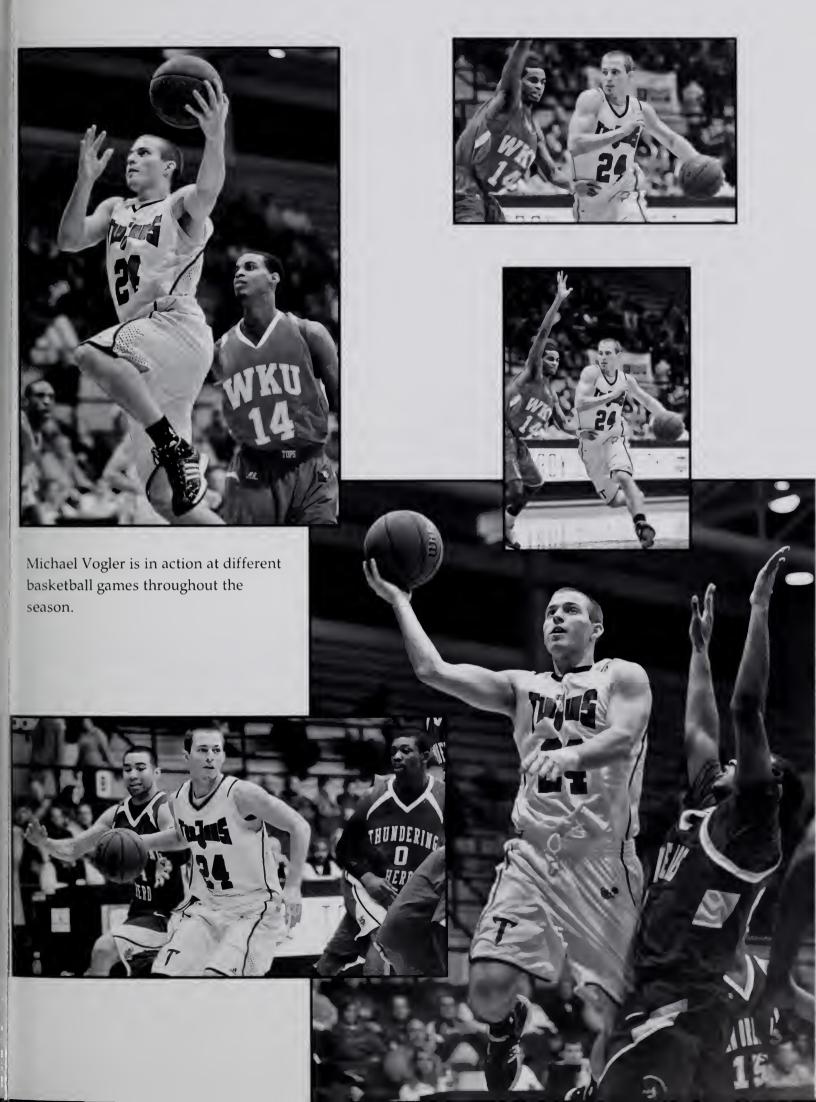
During his three years at Troy University, Vogler has been a force to reckon with for any team.

His sophomore year, he had at least three assists in every game he dished out eight against Texas A&M Community College, then recorded four steals on three occasions. He was always a major reason for the success of the Trojans, by scoring an average of 6.3 points a game. He made his first career start, and played all 40 minutes, in the Trojans' opening round Sun Belt Conference Tournament victory over University of Louisiana Lafayette, scoring 13 points in that game. He then finished the season scoring a season-high 15 points while playing all 40 minutes against Middle Tennessee in the Sun Belt Conference Tournament.

For his junior year, his stats did nothing but exceed his past records. Vogler was voted to the All-Sun Belt Conference third team after leading the league in assists with 175 and steals with 59. He was also ranked 20th nationally in assists per game with 5.8 apg average, and also ranked 44th nationally in assist-to-turnover ratio with 2.13 and 59th in steals per game with 2. He then set his career-high with 18 points and recorded his first career double-double by adding 11 assists against University of North Carolina at Wilmington. Vogler would enter his senior year, ranked fifth in assists with 256 and sixth on the steals list with 114.

Vogler feels his senior year will be even better than his past two years at Troy. He believes the team has played pretty well; however, there are a few games his team should have won. He looks forward to the conference tournament and hopes his team can play to its true potential and bring home a Sun Belt Championship.

Michael Vogler was asked how he wanted to be remembered. He simply said, "I want people to know that I gave it 100 percent and love the game of basketball."



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TROY V. WESTERN KENTUCKY

After losing two of their last three games, the Troy University women's basketball team looked to end this bad momentum at the start of the 2009 season. On Wednesday, January 20th, Troy took on the Western Kentucky Hilltoppers.

Although their past few games have not been the best, the lady Trojans were off to their best start since head coach Michael Murphy started his eight-year tenure.

The Trojans set the tone with Brittnie Davis having a very successful first half. The Trojans led the majority of the first half. However, Western Kentucky was on their heels the whole time and would soon make their move in the way of junior Kenzie Rich.

Rich stole the ball from McAppion and threw it to a flashing McNear running up the court. The junior raced by our Trojan defense and converted the opportunity for a lay-up with 29.6 seconds remaining in the first half to give the Hilltoppers a 29-28 lead.

With just seconds left in the first half, Troy's Sarah McAppion drove for a lay-up but was fouled in the progress. McAppion missed her first free-throw, but would make her second to give the tying score of 29 to 29.

But the Hilltoppers were not going to have a tie game, with just 2.3 seconds left on the clock. Western Kentucky's NcNear heaved up a half-court buzzer beater, sending the game into halftime with the score of 32 to 29.

The second half did not lack any of the excitement from the first. With the crowd standing, Troy got back the lead after Davis hit a pair of three-pointers.

The lady Hilltoppers would soon catch fire, as they would start a 25-6 run against our lady Trojans.

There would not be a spark of effective offense for the Trojans for a whole seven minutes until Sophie Kleeman hit a basket, putting the score at 41-31. The lead would stay at double digits until McAppion was fouled with a little less than 13 minutes left in the game. She made both free throws to put the Trojans within eight. The Lady Toppers were able to push the lead back to double digits with a little over 10 minutes to play in the game when the Trojans were unable to convert on three possessions.

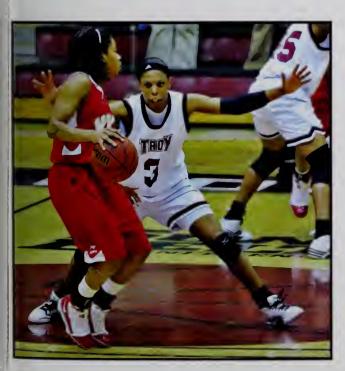
The Lady Trojans were unable to light their fire until the last minute when Davis hit two three-pointers to put the Trojans sitting behind 63-54 with barely 20 seconds left in the game. After a quick lay-up by Kleeman to put the Trojans at 56, the game ended.

Although the Trojans lost 63-56, they were not short on effort. The Trojans simply played a great game against a good and well-prepared Wesfern Kentucky.

"I am really proud of our effort tonight," said head coach Michael Murphy. "This is a very good Western Kentucky team that we played against tonight. I think we became a better team tonight even though we lost the game."



Sarah McAppion focuses on making her way towards the goal to shoot for two!



Brittnie Davis guards the opponent from passing the ball to another WKU player.



The facial expression of this basketball player shows the intensity of the game.

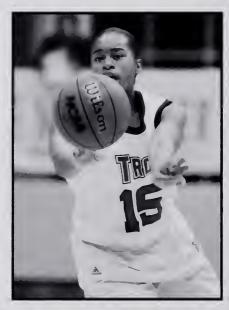


Donette McNair leaps up to reach the basket and score for the Trojans!

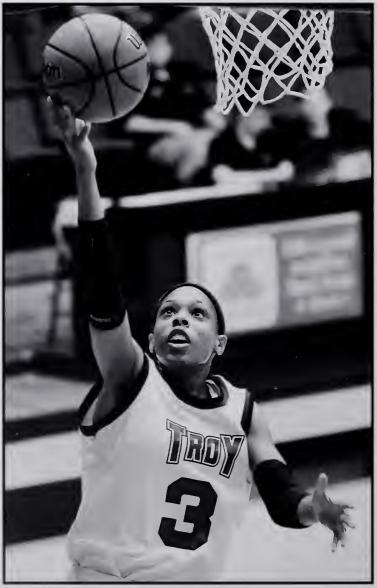


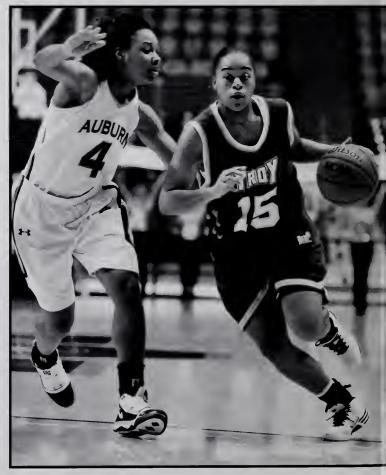
Alyce Shearing makes her way past the opponent towards the net!

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL: LADY TROJANS IN ACTION











RODEO

This year's 2010 Rodeo season was much like previous seasons, fun to watch and quite the success! With the women pulling out a victory at the Troy home rodeo, and dominating over the challenging rodeo team Marshall Missouri, the team could not have asked for a much better season.

With seniors Cooper Johnson, Clint Keller, and Allison Hayes packing up and heading home after a memorable 2010 season, the Troy rodeo team will need junior members to step up and fill the roles of these leaders.

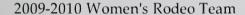
One individual to watch for in the 2011 season is junior Whitney Hazouri, who continues to improve each year at Troy. Her event is breakaway roping, which is when she ropes a calf and the rope breaks off. The fastest time wins. Whitney has led Troy in roping year after year, and hopefully her senior year will be just as memorable.

Whitney's advice to her team for next season is "Stop sweating the small stuff and put all the drama aside. Don't ever bring it into the game. Have fun and let loose!"



2009-2010 Men's Rodeo Team

Stetson Aldridge
Drew Arkuszeski
Maverick Becht
Will Bradley
Tyler Cornett
Mark Gentry
Wesley Hayes
Jacoby Johns
Cooper Johnson
Clint Keller
Garrett Moore
Ty Pigott
Lane Taylor
Mark Weber
Kyle Wyatt



Shelby Deltass
Cassidy Aldridge
Catina Caruthers
Cassidy Cox
Halie Dutton
Abby Gowen
Ally Hayes
Whitney Hazouri
Haley Hudmon
Kindal Jumper
Dakota Missildine
Shelby Osceola
Marla Seidelman
Shelby Sipe
Callie Wigington



SOCCER TROY V. MIDDLE TENNESSEE

Defense was the main focal point of the MTSU vs. Troy games as both teams remained shut out through the whole match, sending the game into multiple overtimes.

Mary Morris managed to squeeze in the game-winning goal past a MTSU defender in the fifth minute of over-time to give Troy a 1-0 win over the Blue Raiders on Friday afternoon in Sun Belt action.

Troy was out-shot by the Blue Raiders 17-3 for the game but the Trojans made it count in the final minutes.

With a perfectly placed corner-kick, senior Bridget Duke put the ball in the box, where, after a short struggle for possession, Morris was able to guide it into the net for the victory.

The goal was Morris' fourth of the season and her ninth of her career here at Troy.

"We did some good things defensively in staying organized and finding the corners," said head coach Chris Bentley. "Middle Tennessee is a quality team and they gave us a lot of problems on defense but we were able to stay organized and succeed."

"We played hard for 90-plus minutes and came away with a win in overtime which is always good," said Bentley. "We are glad to get the win, but we have to be ready to bounce back on Sunday against a tough WKU squad."

Ashley Branham, Troy's keeper, recorded 10 saves for the match. However, MTSU's keeper, Rebecca Cushing, had two saves while allowing the lone goal to give Troy the win.

The victory is the first ever in history for the Trojans over Middle Tennessee. Troy had been 0-5-1 previously against MTSU.

This team truly is a force to be reckoned with in the near future.



A member of the soccer team is in action as she makes her way to score for the Trojans!



Jill Pinder knows that being a soccer player requires the ability to make quick decisions.





Jacqi O'Shea runs to keep the opponent from getting the soccer ball.

Bridget Duke focuses on leading the Trojans to another win!

SOCCER FEATURE: CEIL MARTINEC

The Troy University soccer team has come a long way over the past few years. It has gotten a new coach, and recruited some great athletes. However, if it were not for the captains these newcomers would not be the great athletes as they are now.

Captain Ceil Martinec stands alongside two others, Jill Pinder and Carley Zurfluh. All these captains have one thing in common. They motivate and bring up the team's morale.

Martinec has been with Trojan soccer since fall 2007, when she came in from Fort Worth, Texas. Before college she played for Lake Country Christian School and the club team the Dallas Sting Royals. While playing with these teams Martinec was named to All-State team in boys soccer. She was the only female to be named All-State. She also was team captain sophomore, junior and senior seasons. She also was named a finalist in athlete of the year.

During her freshman year, Martinec did something most freshmen do not get to do. She played all 20 games for the Trojans for a total of 1,597 minutes and finished second on the team in scoring with nine points. This showed the coaches and other teams that she was a force to be reckoned with.

While in her sophomore season, Martinec played in 15 games for a total of 1,190 minutes and took eleven shots, scoring eight of these goals throughout the season. She also saw a season high with 110 minutes of action against Southern Mississippi.

Martinec is a starting defender but will sometimes move up to center mid, which makes her a very valuable player. Her teammates (especially freshmen) have grown very fond of her as a leader and have called her a very versatile athlete.

Martinec is the daughter of Gary and Dinah Martinec and the little sister of her two brothers, Case and Lake. She has been in the 3.0 club since she started Troy and is majoring in Marine Biology.



Ceil Martinec is one of many Troy University soccer players who spend a lot of time practicing.

Martinec makes her way towards the net to score for the Trojans!



It takes a lot of determination and hard work to be a talented soccer player like Ceil Martinec.



BASEBALL TROY V. MIDDLE TENNESSEE

Troy University had high hopes as they started a three-day match against Middle Tennessee State University.

Going into the first game, senior pitcher Andrew Dickenson from Decatur, Alabama, held MTSU to just one run and five hits. This would mark one of the best performances of his career here at Troy.

"I felt good tonight," said Dickenson. "Everything was working. I was able to get ahead with the sinker, and was able to throw strikes with the change up. After that, I had them off balance and was able to get them out with the slider."

This victory was a big one as it capped off a four-game losing streak for the Trojans. The Trojans had previously lost one game to UAB and three to University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

Head Coach Bobby Pierce said, you can't ask for anything more than that (talking about Dickenson's performance).

Some key players thoughout this exciting nine innings were catcher Todd McRae from Talladega, Alabama,

and second baseman TJ Rivera from Bronx, New York. Both batted well and accompanied the team with four points each.

"I have been working hard in practice and the coaches have been trying to get me where I need to be," said McRae. "I am just trying to get into a situation where I can put the bat on the ball."

Even though the Trojans managed to sweep by the Blue Raiders in the first game, they were not as fortunate in the remaining two games.

Saturday night the Trojans fell to MTSU 13 to 9 after a final attempt of a comeback in the ninth inning. Then, they fell 9 to 4 to the Blue Raiders on Sunday to end the three games.

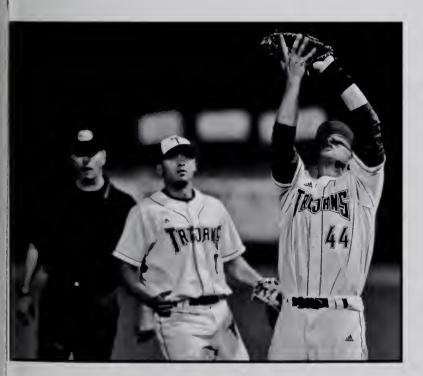




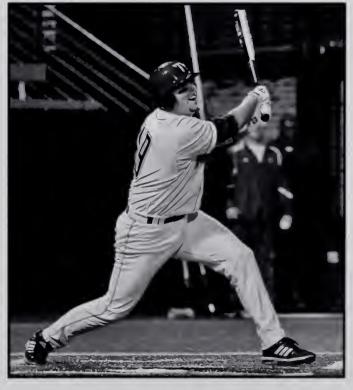
Shoehei Fujita is in action as he waits to catch the ball.



Teamwork is very important in the game of baseball.



Ryan Ditthardt catches the ball as another player anxiously watches.



A baseball player is seen smiling after making a hit.

BASEBALL TROY V. AUBURN

The Trojans yet again defeated the Auburn Tigers this year thanks to a clutch hit by senior Shohei Fujito in the eighth inning.

"I see the ball, and I hit the ball," said Shohei Fujito.

Troy University continued on with its fifth consecutive win, bringing its season record to 13 wins and eleven losses.

The Trojans struck first when Steven Felix hit an in-field homerun off Auburn starter Slade Smith in the second. Troy then added a run in the third when Adam Bryant was hit by a pitch, moving to second on a wild pitch by Smith and to third on a balk before scoring on a single by Trojan Miles Hoyle.

Auburn got both runs back in the fourth off Troy starting pitcher Nick Ward when he gave up a home run to Auburn's Brian Fletcher. Then Auburn's McElroy followed with a single when he popped one in the outfield for a Tiger point.

The score remained 4-2 in Auburn's favor until the seventh inning where Troy was helped out by a



Tiger error, which led to two Trojans running over home plate. The score at the end of the seventh was 4-4.

Going into the eighth inning, Troy managed to play some major defense and send the Tigers back to the bench. Then when up to bat, clutch hitter Fujito hit a two-out scoring single to put the Trojans ahead of the Tigers 5-4.

After another successful defensive stand, the Trojans ended the game against Auburn with the final score of 5-4.

"If I am not mistaken, this is our first one-run win, and I am really proud of how we stuck in there," said coach Mark Smartt. "We pitched well, even though we didn't play well. We made a lot of defensive mistakes, but we stayed after it. What can you say about Shohei? He had a great at—bat, got to two strikes and then hit the ball hard to knock the game-winning run in."



Being a pitcher requires a lot of hard work and determination.

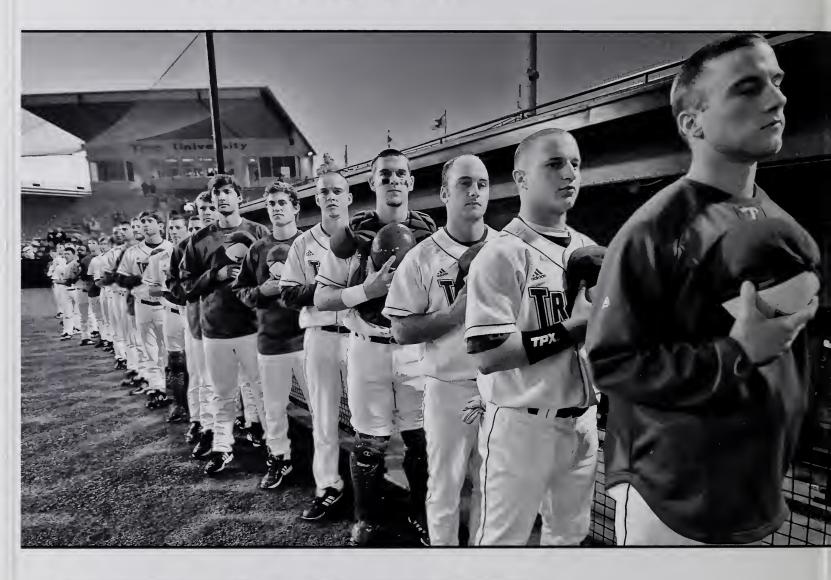


The player is in action as he gets ready to hit the ball!



This pitcher concentrates on pitching a win for the Trojans!

BASEBALL TROY IN ACTION!!















SOFTBALL TROY V. SOUTH CAROLINA

The 2010 Troy Trojans softball team got off to a rocky season start with a few unexpected losses. However, the Trojans managed to get back in the swing of things and pulled out an impressive 5-4 win over nationally ranked South Carolina on February 21st.

Starters for the lady Trojans included Kala Moore, Belinda White, Hayden Gann, Rocky Paige, Sally Ward, Courtney Cherry, Sarah Harris, Kaitlin Kenney, Kortney Cooper, and Ashlyn Williams.

The game started off with no hits or runs by either team; but it didn't take long for the Trojans to advance over South Carolina by the fourth inning. Both Rocky Paige and Courtney Cherry knocked the ball to center outfield in the 6th inning, leading to an outstanding victory over Carolina.

Ashlyn Williams proved herself to be the player to watch for Troy's team in comparison with South Carolina's Ashley Chastain. Williams' extraordinary efforts allowed her to outhit this well-known MVP. Her leadership was obvious both on and off the field.



The player watches the softball into her glove.

Sally Ward prepares to pitch a strikeout to the opposing team.



The player is in action to pitch a win for Troy!



A softball player gets ready to hit the ball before the catcher gets it.



Lady Trojans softball is in action!

SOFTBALL SEASON SUMMARY

Although the season started off a bit rocky, the Troy softball team played a competitive and overall decent season. With a win over the challenging South Carolina, seniors Rocky Paige and Kala Moore must be proud of their last season.

Katie Ely, a junior from Tampa, Florida, says, "One thing we really need to work on for next year it hitting the ball better, and we can also work on our defense a good deal." Although the team will be losing MVP Kala Moore, juniors such as Ely and Kaitlin Kenney will be expected to lead the way to victory in season 2011.

In addition to their actual playing time, the team holds a few great memories— two in particular. A favorite is the spring break trip they were able to take as a team. Kenney said, "This trip was unforgettable."

Another memory that the softball team unanimously agrees on is the "pink" game for breast cancer. Not only was the cause legit, but the ladies enjoyed rocking the cool pink T-shirts and long pink softball socks as well!

As the great 2010 softball season comes to an end with slightly more wins than losses, the team resumes practicing in the off season to yet again prepare for a better season than the last.





VOLLEYBALL:

TROY V. SOUTH ALABAMA

The Trojans took their biggest step in the right direction by defeating South Alabama, 3-1. This win puts Troy's volleyball team closer to qualifying for the Sun Belt Conference Tournament.

The win was only the second road win of the season for the Trojans (12-16, 7-8), but fortunately it marked their last road match of 2009. The victory also marks head coach Sonny Kirkpatrick's 50th at the helm of the Trojans.

The Trojans were led by leader and Captain Meghan Gilroy, who posted a whooping 13 kills. Also, junior setter Megan Henderson was a major team asset by posting 28 assists for the night.

Defensively, Lizzie Clough led the Trojans with 12 digs. Kayla Giles also posted double digits with 11. Gilroy led the Trojans at the net defensively, recording six total blocks.

The first set was a close one throughout. The largest lead by either team came at the end of the set with South Alabama (11-17, 2-13) winning 25-21. The set started with Troy going up 5-4. At that point, the Jaguars scored four straight to go ahead 8-5. The Trojans remained behind by three at 15-12 before they scored four straight to take a 16-15 lead. The two sides traded points until they were tied up at 20-20. At that point South Alabama took four of five points to take set.

Troy was led in the first set by Von Pingel, who posted four kills on just six attempts. Henderson recorded 10 of her assists in the first set.

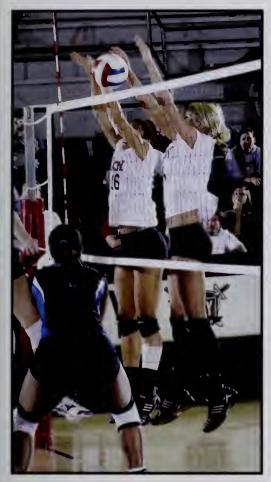
In the second set, the two sides found themselves tied early at 6-6. That is when the Jaguars scored four straight to take a 10-6 lead. With South Alabama still out front, the Trojans went on their first big run, this one behind Emily Strader's serves. Troy scored six straight to go ahead 14-11. That run proved to be enough as the Trojans built on their lead and closed out the second set, 25-19.

South Alabama got an early lead in the third set, going ahead 5-1. However, the Trojans fought back within two putting the score at 9-9. However, South Alabama was not going down without a fight. The Jaguars took five of eight points to go ahead 14-12. It was then that the Trojans went on their second big run, this time behind the serve of Vicky Rogoschewsky. The Trojans scored nine straight to gain a seven-point lead at 21-14. Troy went on to close out the set, 25-16.

Troy picked up where it left off, jumping out to an early 7-2 lead in the fourth set. However, the Jaguars didn't just give up. Trailing 9-5, they scored eight of nine to go ahead of the Trojans 13-10, forcing Troy to call a timeout. After the Trojans got their focus back, they shut South Alabama down and brought the score to a tie of 14-14.

The two sides traded points and found themselves tied seven different times between 14-14 and 22-22. South Alabama took a timeout after Troy gained a 23-22 lead. The Trojans then took the next two points to clinch the fourth set, 25-22, and the match 3-1.

"I couldn't be prouder of our team," said head coach Kirkpatrick, "I think we've really turned the corner and I'd like to see us continue to play at this level."



These volleyball players are defending Trojan territory!



Devin Von Pingel jumps to spike the ball over the net.



A volleyball player sets the ball to help the Trojans score.



Emily Strader focuses on keeping control of the volleyball.

VOLLEYBALL FEATURE: MEGHAN GILROY

There comes a time when every team must lose one of its most prized possessions. Meghan Gilroy is a leader to most and a friend to everyone she meets.

Gilroy is from Pensacola, Florida, where she graduated from Booker T. Washington High School. She is the daughter of Charles and Carol Gilroy and has two brothers, Ian and Chase.

Gilroy came to Troy and immediately fit in with the fast-paced collegiate sport of volleyball. During her freshman year she started all 33 matches and all 119 games. She was second in the team with kills averaging 2.5 a game and led her team in blocks with 12 solo blocks and 56 assisted.

During her sophomore season Gilroy played in 26 matches, and despite missing time throughout the season she posted 346 kills at an average of 3.72 per game, the highest on the team. She also served 21 aces, which tied her at fifth on the team.

Gilroy led the team her junior year and had a total of 871 attacks and finished with 391 kills. She had 71 blocks, including 20 solo blocks. She led the team with 459.5 points her junior year.

During Meghan's senior year she led the team to a great season and managed to make the All-Conference team. Gilroy got this chance because of her 4.23 kills per set average, which places her third in the Sun Belt and 31st in the nation. She also posted an average of 4.90 points per set, which is the second highest in the conference and 20th in the country.

"I'm really happy and excited for Meghan," said head coach Sonny Kirkpatrick. "In my opinion she was one of the top middle hitters in the Sun Belt."

Gilroy has had one of the more successful careers here at Troy as a student-athlete, yet considers the unabated support from her family, friends and all the athletic staff at Troy the key to her success.

"I'll never forget the semester I got my first C," said Gilroy. "You'd better believe I got two phone calls from two very upset coaches."

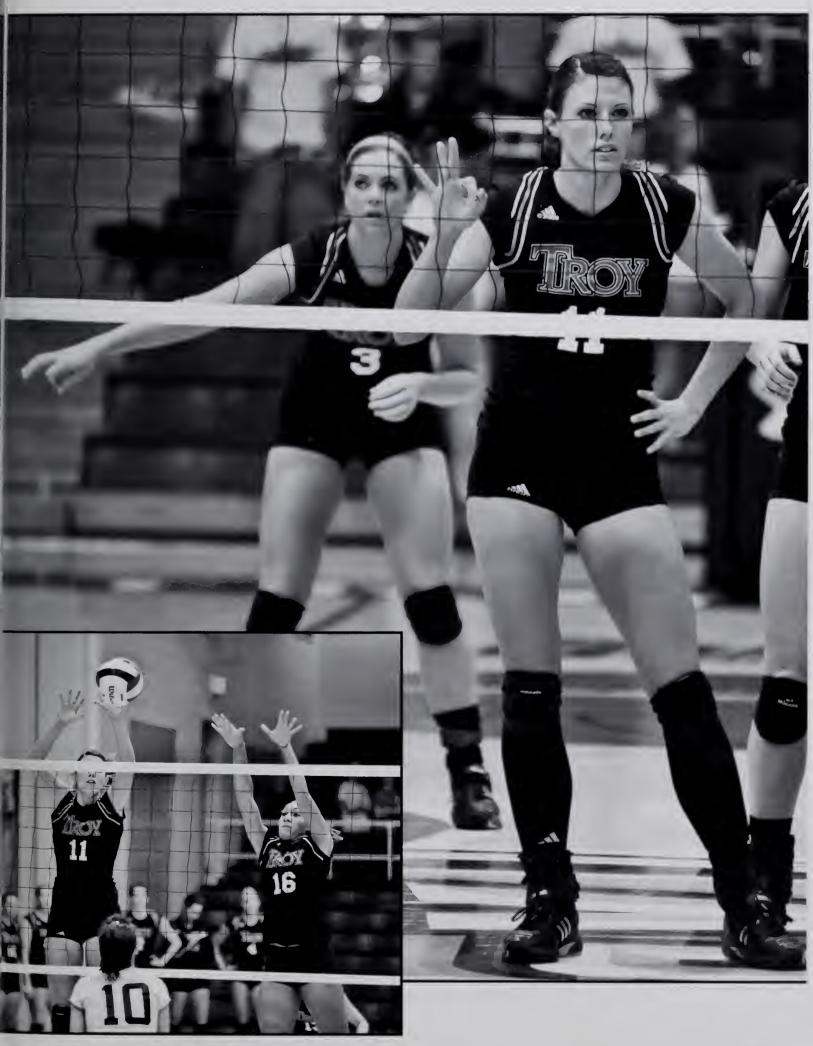
"My coaches never stopped pushing me in practice and in school," said Gilroy.

She has a "Book Full" of memories while here at Troy, some of which will follow her throughout her life. These memories range from beating Middle Tennessee her junior year, to beating University of New Orleans her senior year.

In her spare time she considers her self a "Volleyball Nerd."

"I love to play in my spare time, especially beach volleyball, and usually we play at the Grove," said Gilroy." "I may not actually live there, but you would never know with how much I play there."

Fortunately, the reign of Gilroy is not over. She plans on continuing her volleyball career as long as possible. This summer she will try her hand at beach volleyball, then possibly going overseas to play in a professional indoor league. However, eventually she will head back to school and continue her already successful academic career.



TENNIS

"The team I've been waiting for," said Eric Hayes, the head coach of Troy University's tennis team. "They've really got their momentum in the right direction."

The men's tennis team at Troy University has grown tremendously thoughout the past eight years with Hayes.

However, no one could have seen the success of this year's team coming. After having losing seasons in the past, Troy managed to have a 20-4 season. The Trojans also did the unthinkable as they clinched the Sun Belt Conference title against their strongest competition of the tournament: Denver, which ranked 34th in the nation and previously beat Troy earlier in the season.

"I told the team after we won it that I took this job eight years ago and people outside of the department thought we couldn't get it done," said Hayes. "I don't do much when it comes time to play. I just focus them and they are the ones who hit the ball. They just did a great job."

Troy also has high hopes for next year's season because it has only one senior leaving. Guilherme Sahadi is a senior from Sao Paulo, Brazil, and has been one of the key members in Troy's success this year.

However, all is not lost with Sahadi leaving. Troy's tennis program is mainly made up of underclassmen.

The team consists of four freshmen and three sophomores who have stepped up and managed to be a major part in the team's success at the Sun Belt tournament.

Hayes also coaches the women's tennis team. Members of Troy University's women's tennis team include Karoline Grymel, Leonie Guijt, Kelly Irving, Rosaura Ramirez-Vega, Lauren Simpson, Emma Smith, Gabriella Veiga, and Stephanie Vieira.

This year the women's tennis team was composed of five freshmen, one sophomore, one junior, and one senior.



The Troy University tennis teams gathered in a huddle before one of the tennis matches.



It takes a lot of concentration while playing tennis.



Coach Eric Hayes watches the tennis teams during practice.



Guilherme Sahadi practices his backhand shot.



A lady Trojan tennis player returns the ball by using a double-handed back-hand return.



This tennis player anxiously awaits to return the ball.

GOLF



Matt Terry Head Golf Coach



Troy University's Men's and Women's Golf Teams



Men's Golf Team



Women's Golf Team

TRACK & FIELD

This year Troy University's Track and Field team showed up on all angles. Not only did the upperclassmen step up as leaders, the newcoming athletes showed that they are a force to be reckoned with.

"I feel as though everyone on the team has stepped up," says Payton McGhee, a sophomore Track and Field athlete. "Especially the underclassmen."

This year Troy competed against many powerhouses including Auburn University, Georgia Tech and Florida State University where they showed that a small Division 1 college is just as powerful. Troy managed to finish at the top of its game.

Although the Trojans have had a successful year, they will be losing some key performers. Senior thrower Tiphanie Baker has been the lead scorer for the women's team over the past four years where she has broke numerous school records in the hammer throw and discus. She has also been a Conference Champion and national qualifier.

Also Leander McKenzie, a 110m Hurdler who has been a captain and top conference scorer for the men's team, will be leaving the Trojans.

However, with freshman athletes Veronica Bryant and Matt Braswell the future for the Trojans looks hopeful.

"Our underclassmen were chosen for a reason," said Head Coach Jill Lancaster. "We want to continue our growth and success."

In the end the Trojans finished 4th and 7th in the Sun Belt Conference with the women finishing ahead of the men. With these results, many athletes including Lamontry Stampler, Leander McKenzie and Tiphanie Baker and many others continued to the regional qualifying rounds.

"Our team has had a very successful year," said Tae Madden, a senior Track and Field athlete. "With great coaching and the hard work the athletes put into the season, who wouldn't expect a great outcome?"



A member of the Troy Track & Field team races past the opponent.



A member of the Track & Field team in action as he begins a competition.



There are a variety of Track & Field events that include throws, as pictured above.



This Troy athlete sprints toward the finish line for another win for Troy!

CROSS COUNTRY

After last year's outstanding season, Troy's Cross Country team has a lot to live up to. With many new faces, the team needs leaders now, more than ever. However, with captains like Jeremy Moujoodi, Drew Horner and Kelly Harrington, the team is quite far from lack of leadership.

The newest face to the team is Stephane Hetherington. He is the new head coach of Troy's Cross Country team.

Hetherington came to Troy from Toronto, Ontario, Canada where he was responsible for working with the St. Michael's Choir School and the Etobicoke Track and Field Club as a coach.

In regards to coaching Troy's team, he has a few goals of his own, which includes training for a potential spot in the 2012 Summer Olympics.

However, Hetherington is not the only new face in this crowd. The coaches have recruited many new athletes, both young and old. They feel that this will increase their chances for success.

Hetherington cannot make the athletes accomplish victory single-handedly; rather, he can merely point the athletes in the right direction. Therefore, it is up to upperclassmen like Denzel Ramirez, Terrence T-Time Dixon and Kelly Harrington to guide these freshmen and newcomers.

"This team is more determined than ever," said Terrence Dixon, a senior distance runner at Troy. "There's just so much more chemistry than any past season."

"We're training harder than ever," said Jeremy Moujoodi, a senior on Troy's Cross Country team. "I can see the improvements in everyone."

Troy's cross country team has been practicing twice a day six days a week for three months. Not only have members been running more than 70 miles a week; the team has been maintaining the student-athlete image and hopes to repeat being an Academic All-American team.

The team began its season at home with the Trojan Invitational where they finished second to Auburn, then ended their season at home for the famous Coach O Invitational before heading to conference.

The Troy University Cross Country team has continued to be a top performing school in the Sun Belt and will hopefully keep the tradition of achievements and leadership running on for many years to come.



The Troy University Cross Country team in action during one of the meets.



Kelly Harrington and teammates participating in the Coach O Invitational held at Troy University.



These women know that it takes a lot of preparation and hard work to be a part of the Cross Country team.



A member of the Troy Cross Country team sprints toward the finish line.



Brett Lewis steps up the pace to reach the end of the race.

CROSS COUNTRY FEATURE: DREW HORNER

Track and field has shaped many people into the people they are today. Student-Athlete Drew Horner is the co-captain of Troy University's Cross Country and Track and Field Program. He believes everyone should find something he loves to do and stick to it.

"Rewarding," said Drew Horner. "My college track career has been more rewarding than I could have ever imagined."

Horner is a senior at Troy majoring in Computer Science and will soon graduate with honors. He grew up and started his running career in Orlando, Florida, for Edgewood High School.

He then took his quick feet to Troy University, where he would become one of the most successful freshmen to enter the Sun Belt Conference.

During his freshman year in 2006 Horner ran many personal bests, including a 4:01 in the 1500m and a 9:13 in the 8000m. Horner then went on to be named All-conference as a freshman, and was one of two Americans in the cross-country championship.

However, his most recognizable accomplishment to many is the fact that he received the honor of Freshman of the Year in cross-country due to his great performance at the Sun Belt Conference Cross-Country Championships.

Drew Horner's sophomore year was plagued by injuries, which contributed to a not-so-successful year, as one would have hoped. However he did managed to run a personal best in the 800m with a time of 2:02.

"My family," said Horner, "has supported me throughout the good races as well as the bad. I would not be the person I am today without the guidance and help of my family."

Horner gives the majority of his credit to the family that was beside him the whole time throughout his career

After a successful healing process, Horner was back on the track for his junior season, where he managed to impress not only spectators in the stands but his teammates on the track as well. Horner earned the title as captain of the Troy Cross-Country and Track team. Drew ran a personal best in the 800m with a time of 2:00 and also competed against big schools like Florida State and Auburn.

Drew Horner wore his title as captain proudly and showed it by motivating his teammates and performing to his maximum ability whenever he was called upon.

After a successful junior season, Horner went into his senior year with high hopes. He managed to finish very well against Middle Tennessee, Western Kentucky and many other Sun Belt powerhouses. He also led the teams to a top-15 finish in Regionals, which had not happened in quite a while.

Drew Horner believes having fun is the key to success on and off the track. Horner spent his spare time enjoying the great sporting events on Troy's campus.

"I love going to watch my fellow Trojan athletes compete," said Horner. "It not only instills school spirit within me, but also encourages me to be a better athlete."

Horner has proven to be a valuable part of the Troy University track program, not only as an athlete but as a leader. He has taken underclassman like Adam Vice and Alec Hamm under his wing to show them the ropes.

With a leader like this graduating and leaving Troy, how will the Troy Track team manage? Well, fortunately, Drew Horner has inspired and taught many people the importance of being a leader. So there is no reason to worry. Someone who was influenced by people like Horner will step up and carry the team.



Drew Horner poses with other members of the Troy University Cross Country team.



Drew Horner is in action during a Cross Country event.



Drew Horner has made many life-long friends while being a member of the Cross Country team.



Being a student-athlete requires being able to balance schoolwork and athletic events.

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College of Arts and Sciences

The College of Arts and Sciences offers degrees in different areas that include Aerospace Studies, Biological and Environmental Sciences, Chemistry, Criminal Justice and Social Science, English, Mathematics, Military Science, and Leadership, Political Science, and History.

The Biological and Environmental Sciences department offers undergraduate degrees in biology, marine biology, and environmental sciences. It also offers majors in biology and biology education. A minor is offered in biology also.

The Chemistry department offers a chemistry minor as well as a chemistry major and chemistry education major.

The Criminal Justice and Social Science department offers degrees in criminal justice, sociology, and social science.

The department of English offers Troy University students an English minor and English major with a concentration in either creative writing or literature. The Master of Education includes a Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) concentration.

The Math, Physics, Computer Science, and Geomatics departments offers majors that include non-teaching math, comprehensive mathematics education, math education, comprehensive science education, and physics education.



Criminal Justice and Social Science



Mathematics



Aerospace Studies



Chemistry



Biological and Environmental Sciences

Jeature: Dr. Nathan Alexander

In May 2009, Troy University lost one of its most beloved faculty, Dr. Nathan Alexander. He passed away after an extended battle with leukemia.

Dr. Alexander came to Troy University in 2005 where he quickly became a well-known, well-loved member of the faculty.

Formerly of Bremerton, WA, Dr. Alexander graduated from Bremerton High School in 1986. Following his high school graduation, Dr. Alexander studied at the University of Washington where he graduated in 1990. He spent his junior year of college studying at Oxford University in England.

Nine years later Dr. Alexander received his Ph.D. from Harvard University where he served as a lecturer for four years in Harvard University's Department of History and Literature.

He is survived by his daughter, Elisa; parents, Steve and Sandra; sisters, Rachel and Sarah; and a brother, Andrew.

A memorial service was held in loving memory of Dr. Nathan Alexander on August 24th, 2009, in the Claudia Crosby Theater, and a scholarship fund is being established for Dr. Alexander's daughter, Elisa.



Dr. Nathan Alexander is pictured speaking to a group of students.



Dr. Nathan Alexander, right, had fond memories at Troy University. He will be greatly remembered by many people.

College of Communication and Jine Arts

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is composed of five different departments that include the Department of Art and Design, the Department of Speech and Theatre, Classical and Modern Languages, the Hall School of Journalism, and the John M. Long School of Music.

The Department of Art and Design offers degrees that include art education, graphic design, and photography.

The Department of Speech and Theatre has the goal of allowing students to have the chance to work with recognized artists in the field, seeking professional feedback, and providing for the changing needs of an increasingly diverse community.

The Hall School of Journalism and Communication offers degrees in journalism, broadcast journalism, mass communication, public relations, advertising, and photo journalism.

The purpose of the undergraduate music major within John M. Long School of Music is to allow students to have educational experiences that will guide them in developing their music skills, knowledge, and attitude required to pursue a career in the different areas of music.



Music



Art and Design



Hall School of Journalism and Communication

Sorrell College of Business

The Sorrell College of Business consists of Risk Management and Insurance, Troy University School of Accountancy, and Business and Graduate Programs. The courses offered are composed of high quality curriculums to challenge the students of today to becoming the business leaders of tomorrow.

Undergraduate majors include Accounting, Finance, General Business, Information Systems, Management, Marketing, and Risk Management and Insurance. Two minor degrees offered within the Sorrell College of Business include a Business Administration Minor and an Information Systems Minor.

The graduate programs include a master of Business Administration with a focus in areas such as Accounting, Finance, and International Economic Development.

Whether students apply their degrees to general management or specialized fields of business such as accounting or information systems management, the Sorrell College of Business helps Troy students to develop problem-solving skills required in a dynamic and uncertain business environment, synthesize and apply knowledge, discipline their problem-solving analysis, and identify and develop alternative problem solutions.



School of Accountancy



Business and Graduate Business Programs



Risk Management and Insurance

Jeature: Dr. Donald Hines

On October 5, 2009, family, friends, and colleagues gathered in the Claudia Crosby Theater to remember Dr. Donald C. Hines, dean of the Troy University Sorrell College of Business. Dr. Hines passed away on August 26, 2009 after losing a battle with cancer.

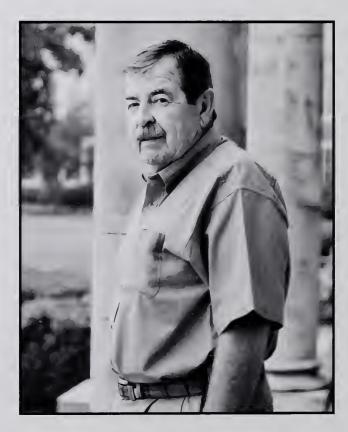
Dr. Hines graduated from Mississippi State University where he received his undergraduate and graduate degrees. He is also a graduate of Kansas State University where he received his doctorate in economics.

During his career, Dr. Hines served twice as the dean of the Sorrell College of Business. He was the president of the University of West Alabama from 1994 to 1998. During the 1980s, he was the dean of the School of Business.

When Guy Hunt served as governor of the state of Alabania, Dr. Hines was a member of the governor's administration cabinet. He held the position of Division Chief of the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs (ADECA).

Dr. Hines was an integral part of beginning a rodeo team at Troy University as well as the University of West Alabama. The rodeo complex at the University of West Alabama was named after Dr. Hines. He was the Intercollegiate Rodeo Team Advisor at Troy University from 2001-2006.

Dr. Hines was an active member of Ansley Baptist Church where he held positions that included deacon, Sunday School teacher, and sound technician. He also played a key role in the formation of the Homeward Bound Gospel Quartet. For the past ten years, this has been an outreach ministry of the church.



Dr. Donald Hines

THIS IS THE COWBOY WAY

Don C. Hines May 23, 1999

Know first that it is not the boots, the hat, or the buckle, for they are only outward symbols. It is the inner spirit.

Work hard, for peace comes to those whose debts have been paid. Play hard, for mortality is but a brief moment, and our trail can often seem so long. Believe in yourself and those around you, for this will be your strength and comfort.

Be strong but gentle, only fighting for who and what you are.

Be a man, and, at the same time, see and believe as a child.

Never ever run from competition, for in the end, we only recall the challenges we

have faced, the lines we have drawn, and the stands we have taken.

Provide aid and comfort to your competitors, and then defeat them.

Understand that there is no higher competition than with yourself.

Understand that in competition, it is never for the show. It is personal.

Know that God made bulls and broncs to be ridden.

And most of all, when you fall, know that only God can help you stand, if you let him. And finally, know that when you put on the boots, the hat, and the buckle, you understand that this is the cowboy way.

College of Health and Human Services

Troy University's College of Health and Human Services offers many different undergraduate degree programs that include athletic training, human services and rehabilitation, social work, kinesiology and health promotion, and school of nursing.

A Bachelor of Science degree in athletic training is one of the majors within this program. Another major focuses on athletic training education. The department of Human Services and Rehabilitation includes majors such as rehabilitation, social work, and human services. A minor in human services and communication with the hearing impaired is also offered.

The Kinesiology and Health Promotion department focuses on a health and physical education degree as well as Sports and Fitness management. Dance and Health Science are a few examples of the minors available in the Kinesiology and Health Promotions department.

The Troy University School of Nursing offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing and a Master of Science in Nursing.



School of Nursing



Human Services



Kinesiology

College of Education

The College of Education at Troy University comprises two main academic departments. They are Curriculum and Teaching and Psychology, Counseling and Foundations of Education.

The department of Psychology, Counseling & Foundations of Education offers a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology and a Master of Science degree in two areas: Counseling and Foundations of Education.

The department of Curriculum and Teaching offers a Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degree in Elementary Education, Secondary Education, Collaborative Teaching, kindergarten through sixth grade and Interdisciplinary Education. A Master of Science degree is offered in the Reading Specialist area.

In the spring of 2009, the new 90,800-square-foot Jack Hawkins Jr. College of Education Building was opened. The new education building was named for chancellor Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr. The building includes 12 classrooms, two technology teaching laboratories, three counseling

HAWKINS HALL

laboratories, three conference rooms and a faculty work room. Two of the 12 classrooms are interactive video conference classrooms. The building's atrium houses the Alabama Educational Leadership Hall of Fame.

The mission of the College of Education is to prepare educators, counselors, administrators and other professionals to be lifelong, innovative, informed, reflective decision makers effectively trained to achieve the goals, competencies, and skills identified by the accrediting and professional organizations for each program.



Psychology, Counseling, and Foundation of Education



Curriculum and Teaching

Student Affairs

Troy University offers many services to its students through the different departments of Student Affairs.

There are ten different departments of Student Affairs, which include: Student Services, Student Activities & Auxiliary Services, Housing & Residence Life, Admissions, Student Involvement & Leadership, Financial Aid, Counseling & Adaptive Needs, Alumni Affairs, Career Services, and the Sexual Assault and Violence Education (SAVE) Project.

More information on each department can be found online at http://troy.troy.edu/studentservices/.



Counseling and Adaptive Needs



Financial Aid



Housing and Residence Life



SAVE Project



Student Services



Admissions

Student Affairs



Student Support Services



Student Involvement and Leadership



Alumni Affairs

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Chancellor Jack Hawkins, Jr.

He's the chancellor of Troy University. Even more, he's Uncle Jack. He is, in fact, the man who represents Troy University both locally and internationally. He is Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr.

Hawkins was born in Mobile, Ala., on March 30, 1945. He graduated from Murphy High School in 1962, the year he went down to the local Marines recruiting station to enlist, but after he took some tests the recruiting officer encouraged him to attend college.

Hawkins earned his bachelor's degree from the University of Montevallo, a public liberal arts school, in 1967. He spent his summers in Platoon Leaders Class, an officer training program, and after graduation was commissioned a second lieutenant.

After basic training at Camp Lejeune, Hawkins was assigned to Vietnam as the leader of a combat engineering platoon attached to the Korean Marine Corps. Although his platoon's responsibilities mainly included daily mine sweeps, patrols, the removal of booby traps and construction projects, Hawkins did see combat. He received the Purple Heart, the Bronze Star, and a special citation from the Korean Marine Corps for his service.

His services in Vietnam helped Hawkins to form the philosophies that have served him throughout his professional life in higher education, according to the book "Above and Beyond: Former Marines Conquer the Civilian World."

"When you are in a combat situation with brave men, you know that they must have plenty of hope in their hearts to face the inevitable terror that war breeds," he said. "Leadership, when stripped to the barest essentials, is managing that hope. It's similar in civilian life, because the people you lead have hopes and dreams that must be considered; it's just that the stakes are nowhere near as high as on a battlefield."

Of his military services, Hawkins has said, "Serving as a United States Marine has had a profound influence on me and my life. No other experience has shaped my values, beliefs, determination and duty above self' philosophy as did the USMC."

Hawkins left active duty in 1970 and earned his master's degree from the University of Montevallo in 1971. He served as an assistant dean at the University of Alabama at Birmingham from 1971-1979 and as president of the Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind in Talladega from 1979-1989. He earned his doctorate from the University of Alabama in 1976.

Hawkins was named the chancellor of Troy University in 1989. He leads a multi-campus system serving more than 30,000 students, is accountable to a Board of Trustees, and employs more than 1,200 full-time faculty and staff.

According to "Above and Beyond: Former Marines Conquer the Civilian World," Hawkins was attracted to Troy because of his interest in the military. Troy University offers educational programs on more than 50 military bases in 14 states and six foreign countries and is a primary provider of Internet programs for the E-Army U.

Hawkins said he has found that "the same principles of leadership so vital to the mission of the Marines, such as teamwork, loyalty, recognition and integrity, are equally valuable in a university setting."

According to Hawkins, a university's key mission is to educate its students, but it has many different moving parts. "In order to get the job done, it's important for the leader to set the example," he said.

Hawkins takes his job as chancellor seriously, viewing the university as a living organism— one that he said was "almost analogous to the brick-laying story of World War II." A man on the street asked the first brick mason he encountered what he was doing, to which the mason replied "laying brick." The second mason he asked replied that he was building a wall, and finally the third mason said he was building a cathedral, which is when the man realized what vision was.

Hawkins believes students graduating from Troy University are able to adequately compete with students graduating from larger institutions because Troy students receive the very best of personal attention.

"Every student can be known by name and not a number," he said. "Every student can enjoy a personal experience [and] will have the benefit of a very well-qualified faculty."

Hawkins believes "the undergraduate program at Troy not only compares favorably with those other larger institutions, but in most cases is far better" based on the acceptance of Troy students into graduate level schools in almost every discipline managed at Troy University.

Hawkins believes the local and international growth Troy University has experienced recently has contributed to a richer learning environment and a greater awareness of the world for its students. He believes that the growing international program has added to those contributions, helping students be more globally aware and competitive.

Hawkins has been the recipient of several awards over the course of his professional life. He was honored by the University of Montevallo in 1985 as Distinguished Alumnus of the Year and in 1999 was presented the Golden Eagle of the Year Award by the Alabama Senior Citizens Hall of Fame.

He was the recipient of the 2003 All-American Football Foundation's "Top College President" award, and in 2005 he was inducted into the Murphy High School Hall of Fame. In 2007, Hawkins was named the Alabama Citizen of the Year by the Alabama Broadcasters Association.

Hawkins' family includes his wife, Janice, and their two daughters, Katie and Kelly. He is the proud grandfather of a new grandson and says that his family is the core of his existence.

Outside of the university, Hawkins enjoys reading and the occasional game of golf, although he admits that he's not very good. He enjoys the extracurricular life of the university and shows his support for athletics, music and theater.

"In a position like this your vocation almost becomes your avocation," Hawkins said. "The after-hours life of the university is almost synonymous with our after-hours life."



Chancellor Jack Hawkins, Jr.

Spring Preview Day









Homecoming 2009



Honors Convocation

The University's annual Honors Convocation was held on Tuesday, April 13, 2010, in the Claudia Crosby Theater. Exceptional Troy students and faculty were honored at the event. Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr., Chancellor of Troy University, Mrs. Janice Hawkins, First Lady of Troy University, Dr. Ed Roach, Executive Vice Chancellor/Provost, TROY faculty, staff, and students, family and friends of students, Trojan Ambassadors, Collegiate Singers, Troy University Horn Ensemble, Troy University Clarinet Ensemble, and guest speaker Dr. Robert Potts and his wife were all present for the convocation.

Dr. Jack Hawkins welcomed the crowd and offered congratulatory remarks to the many students being honored. "Honors Convocation is Troy University's own Academy Awards," Dr. Hawkins said jokingly. He also introduced the night's guest speaker, Dr. Robert Potts. Dr. Potts spoke about how far Troy University has come through the years. He, too, offered congratulatory remarks to the honorees.

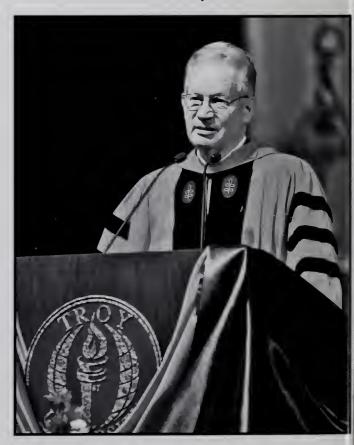
Many deserving students were inducted into numerous honor societies on campus, including: Alpha Epsilon Delta, Alpha Epsilon Rho, Alpha Lambda Delta, Alpha Phi Sigma, Beta Beta Beta, Chi Sigma Iota, Delta Mu Delta, Iota Tau Alpha, Kappa Delta Pi, Lambda Pi Eta, Mortar Board, Omicron Delta Kappa, Orders of Omega, Phi Alpha Theta, Phi Epsilon Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, Pi Alpha Alpha, Pi Mu Epsilon, Pi Sigma Alpha, Psi Chi, Sigma Tau Delta, Sigma Theta Tau, and University Honors Alliance.

There were also special awards presented throughout the night, one being the Ingalls Award for Excellence in Classroom Teaching, which was presented to Dr. John A. Kline, distinguished professor of leadership and director of Troy University's Institute for Leadership Development. The Ingalls Award is given annually to the teacher on the Troy Campus who has "most diligently, effectively and cheerfully conducted his or her classes during the current academic year." Students nominate faculty members for the

award, and a committee of students and faculty advisors selects the recipient. The award consists of a statue of Socrates, a plaque and a check for \$1,000.

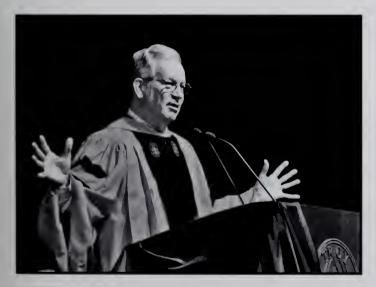
"This is absolutely the most meaningful award of my entire life," Dr. Kline said. "It ranks ahead of special commendation by the Secretary of the Air Force or any of the other awards I have been blessed to receive in my 70 years on this planet. I love my students, and I love my colleagues—faculty, staff and administrators. I love my job, and I love Troy University. Troy is my ministry. God has blessed me."

Honors Convocation 2010 was presented under the auspices of Chancellor Jack Hawkins, Jr., the Administration and the faculty of Troy University, and the Troy University National Alumni Association. It is coordinated by the Troy University Honors Convocation Committee.





Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr., with winners of the Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award. This year's winners were Mimi Williams, Dr. Shari Hoppin, and Daniel Logan.



Dr. Robert Potts served as the speaker during the 2010 Honors Convocation.



Dr. John Kline was awarded the Ingalls Award for Excellence in Classroom Teaching.

Graduation

Troy University has a vast mixture of students. These students are hardworking individuals who strive to find their perfect fit. Each is working to achieve degrees in his or her field of choice. Although students make different choices in classes and activities, they all have one thing in common: becoming successful individuals in society and obtaining a degree.

Troy University graduates have earned recognition for their achievements. Upon the completion of a preferred branch of learning, students attend the commencement. The commencement is filled with loving family members, friends, and supporters of Troy University.

When students walk across the stage, they hold in their hands a diploma that exemplifies excellence. This diploma is an educational achievement that would make anyone proud. Students leave Troy University with potential and knowledge that the university has instilled in them.













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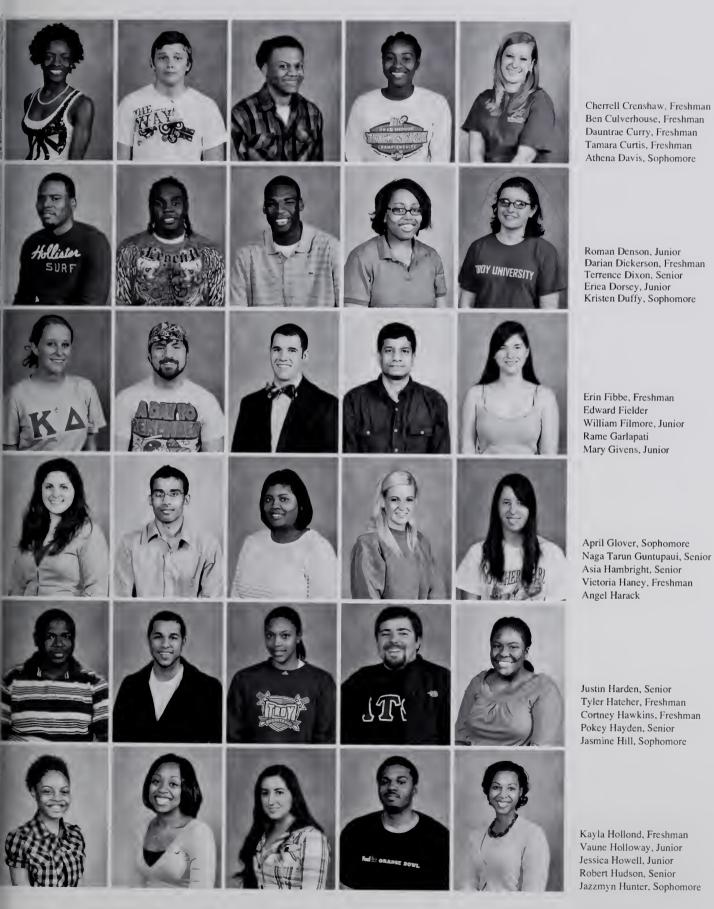




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Kenneth "Max" Cartwright, Freshman

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Kassandra Williams, Freshman Authur M.Williams, Junior Terence Williams, Freshman



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Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges

Graduates

Laura Louise Aaron

Bay Minette, Alabama Music Education July 2010

Activities & Honors

- · Phi Kappa Phi
- Sigma Alpha Iota
- Sound of the South Marching Band
- Collegiate Singers
- Chorale
- Frequency



Gabrielle Johanna Barnett

Gulf Shores, Alabama Masters of Public Administration May 2010

Activities & Honors

- Director of Softball Operations
- 3.0+ GPA

Khushbu Kirit Trivedi

Bhavnagar, India MBA in Information Systems December 2010

Activities & Honors

President of Indian Student Association



Alfredo Ulloa

Chicago, Illinois

Master of Public Administration- Public Management & Government Contracting Certificate

May 2010



Activities & Honors

- Member of National Scholars Honor Society
- Member of National Honor Society for Public Affairs & Administration
- · Pi Alpha Alpha
- Retired disabled veteran
- Member of the Disabled American Veterans
- Member of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges

Undergraduates

Eric Scott Anderson

Opelika, Alabama English, Creative Writing (minor) May 2010

- Elks Club Scholarship, 2006-2007
- Troy University Chancellor's Scholarship, 2006-2010
- Troy University Band Scholarship, 2006
- Provost List, Fall 2007 & Fall 2008
- Chancellor's List, Spring 2009
- Who's Who Among American Colleges & Universities, 2009
- English Club Member, 2007-2008
- Sigma Tau Delta English Honors Society Member, 2008-2010
- Sigma Tau Delta Vice President, 2009-2010
- Delta Epsilon Iota Academic Honor Society Lifetime Member, 2007
- Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honors Society Member, 2006-2007
- Circle K International Member, 2006-2010
- Circle K Junior Board Representative, 2008-2009
- Circle K Bulletin Editor, 2009-2010
- Founding Staff Member of "The Rubicon" (University Literary Magazine), 2009-2010
- Staff Writer for "The Tropolitan", 2009-2010
- Residence Hall Association Member, 2006-2010
- Medieval Club Member, 2008-2009

Tiphanie M. Baker

Birmingham, Alabama Human Services/ Communication with Hearing Impaired December 2010

Activities & Honors

- Troy Track and Field Thrower
- Selected 5 times to Troy University Athletics 3.0 Club
- Troy University Provost List
- Who's Who
- Selected 2 times as Sun Belt Athlete of the Week
- NCAA Academic All-American
- Sun Belt record holder in the discus and hammer throw
- 2009 NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Nationals Participant

DeMario A. Billingslea

Lanett, Alabama Health & Physical Education December 2009

Activities & Honors

KHP club member

Molly M. Blackmon

Alexander City, Alabama Athletic Training Education May 2011

- Chi Omega (Treasurer)
- Athletic Training Club (President)
- Iota Tau Alpha (Secretary)
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Delta Epsilon Iota
- Campus Outreach

Jessica Leigh Bozeman

Helena, Alabama Broadcast Journalism, Photography (minor) May 2010



Activities & Honors

- TrojanVision News Anchor/Reporter
- Troy University reporter at CBS 8 in Montgomery, Alabama
- LDSSA (Latter-Day Saint Student Association) President
- NBS (National Broadcast Society) Vice-President
- · Alpha Lambda Delta
- Delta Epsilon Iota
- Concert Chorale
- Collegiate Singers
- Honor's Program
- Chancellor's Scholarship
- Video Yearbook Editor

Jessica Denise Brewer

Andalusia, Alabama Elementary Education May 2010

- Baptist Campus Ministries
- Chancellor's List
- Phi Kappa Phi
- Mortar Board
- Kappa Delta Pi
- Trojan Ambassador
- Who's Who
- ACEI
- SCEC



Kimberly A. Brown

Fultondale, Alabama Broadcast Journalism/Advertising Contract May 2010



- IMPACT Leader
- Chi Omega Fraternity
 - -President, 2009
 - -Member Educator, 2008
- Troy University's Most Outstanding Women
- Order of Omega
- Ad/PR Society
- Leadership Scholar

Tiffany Burchfield

Tanner, Alabama Art Education May 2011

Activities & Honors

- SAEA (Student Art Education Association)
- Art Club
- BCM (Baptist Campus Ministries)
- Who's Who



Eugene Talmadge Butler II

Smiths Station, Alabama Bachelor of Music Education May 2010

- Member of Kappa Delta Pi
- Member of Delta Epsilon Iota
- Member of National Scholars Society
- Who's Who Among College Students
- Distinguished Leadership Award
- Sound of the South-Fall 2009 Outstanding Senior Award
- Provost's List Honorary
- Dean's List Honorary
- Leadership Scholar, Fall 2006-Spring 2010



Haley Elizabeth Cash

Hoover, Alabama Criminal Justice/Sociology December 2009

Activities & Honors

- Phi Mu
- Alpha Phi Sigma
- Trojan Ambassadors
- Pre-Law Society
- Phillip J. Levine Scholarship Recipient
- Cathy Lynn Stewart Scholarship Recipient

Kayla Elizabeth Clemons

Gardendale, Alabama Athletic Training May 2010



Activities & Honors

- Freshman Forum, 2006-2007
- SGA Senator, 2007-2008
- SGA Senator and President Pro Tempore, 2008-2009
- SGA Secretary, 2009-2010
- Chi Omega Sorority
- Iota Tau Alpha
- Omicron Delta Kappa
- Alpha Epsilon Delta
- Athletic Training Club- Secretary, 2008-2009

Grace McGowen Collins

Birmingham, Alabama Theatre Education May 2010

- Dean's List, 2006-2009
- Provost's List, 2009
- Alpha Psi Omega Theatre Honorary Society, Treasurer
- Troy University CCFA Rising Star Award
- Troy University First Year Initiative Mentor

Allison C. Conlan

Leesburg, Georgia Music Education May 2011

Activities & Honors

- Symphony Band, principal flute (2007-present)
- Sound of the South, piccolo and mellophone
 - -Nominated as 2006 Outstanding Freshman and 2007 Outstanding Woodwind
- Sigma Alpha Iota, professional music fraternity (Vice President and Music Director)
- Troy Symphony Orchestra, 1st place in Concerto Competition, Spring 2008
- Concert/campus bands
- Newman Center
- Jazz combo
- Numerous Chamber and Professional ensembles throughout Alabama, Florida, and Georgia
- 2009 STAR Student, as selected by Dean of College of Communication & Fine Arts
- Selected to study flute in London at the Royal College of Music with Susan Milan, the principal flautist of the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, in the summer of 2008, where she was later invited by Susan Milan to perform at the Charterhouse International Music Festival in London during the summers of 2008 and 2009
- Selected to travel to Valencia, Spain to begin an affiliation with the Troy University Bands and the "La Armonica" Orchestra de Bunol. Peformed with orchestra at the city's "Mano a Mano" festival
- Recipient of Phi Kappa Phi Study Abroad grant, 2008

Miranda Renee' Daniels

Grady, Alabama Cell and Molecular Biology May 2010

- AED- Secrețary
- BBB
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Delta Epsilon Iota- Vice President
- Who's Who

Sarah Elizabeth Dole

Eufaula, Alabama Sports and Fitness Management, Business (minor) May 2010

Activities & Honors

- Phi Mu
- GAMMA
- KHP Club
- Mortar Board
- Delta Epsilon Iota (2009)
- Delta Sigma Chapter of Phi Epsilon Kappa (2009)
- Provost's List, Fall 2008 and Fall 2009
- Chancellor's List, Spring 2008 and Spring 2009
- 2007 Diamond Doll
- Intern with Houston Astros

Robert Dale Doughan

Daphne, Alabama Mathematics, Computer Science (minor) December 2009

Activities & Honors

- President of Square Root of C Math Club
- President of Pi Mu Epsilon National Math Honor Society, Troy Chapter
- Member of Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity
- Graduated Magna Cum Laude with GPA=3.75

Elizabeth Marlowe Dowe

Montgomery, Alabama Broadcast Journalism with contract in Public Relations, Leadership Studies (minor) May 2011

- Freshman Forum
- Phi Mu President
 - -Public Relations Chair
 - -Pledge class President
 - -New member of the year, 2007
- Student Government Association
 - -Trojan Village Senator
 - -At-Large Senator
- IMPACT leader 2009
- Trojan Ambassador
- Order of Omega
- Lambda Pi Eta Honor Society



Heather Driver

Chelsea, Alabama Nursing December 2011

Activities & Honors

- Phi Kappa Phi- 2010
- President of Alpha Epsilon Delta- 2009-2010
- Member of Alpha Epsilon Delta- 2008-present
- Member of Alpha Lambda Delta- 2007-2008
- Member of Student Nursing Association- 2007-present



Anna Laura Dyer

New Hope, Alabama Math Education May 2010

Activities & Honors

- Kappa Delta Sorority (Sister of the Year- 2007-2008)
- Campus Outreach
- Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society
- Pi Mu Epsilon Honor Society
- Order of Omega Greek Honor Society (Treasurer)

Kristin Danielle Embry

Cell and Molecular Biology May 2011

- Member and Treasurer of Tri Beta (Beta Beta Beta-Biology Honor Society)
- Member of Alpha Epsilon Delta- Pre-Professionals Honor Society
- Conducts research with Dr. Blankenship
- Attends 8:29

Michelle Lynne Finerty

Fairhope, Alabama English/Business December 2009

Activities & Honors

- Chi Omega Women's Fraternity
- Chi Omega Career and Personal Development Chair- 2007
- SGA Senate-Spring 2007-December 2009
- SGA Publicity Chair- 2008-2009
- SGA President Pro Temp
- SGA Senate Floor Leader
- House of Reps VP
- House of Reps Gavel
- May Shanks Bradley Scholarship Recipient
- Eastern Shore Optimist Club Scholarship Recipient
- Sidney Sullivan Awards Committee Member
- National Gallery of Writing Finalist
- Ralph Wyatt Adams Service Award- 2009

Keri Lin Flowers

Jack, Alabama Mathematics and Secondary Education May 2010

- Sound of the South Marching and Concert Bands Treasurer/Secretary-2009-2010
- Sigma Alpha Iota Music Fraternity
 - -Sergeant at Arms- 2007-2008
 - -President- 2008-2009
 - -Treasurer- 2009-2010
- Math Club
- Pi Mu Epsilon Math honor society
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Omicron Delta Kappa
- Mortar Board
- Delta Epsilon Iota
- Provost's List
- Chancellor's List



Cadie Marie Frazier

Hoover, Alabama Elementary Education December 2010

Activities & Honors

- · Phi Mu
- Sound of the South Majorette
- Freshman Forum
- Diamond Dolls
- · Relay for Life
- Panhellenic President
- Student Government Association Senator
- G.A.M.M.A.
- Leadership Scholar
- Provost List
- BCM

Caren Gayle

Swanton, Vermont Social Work May 2010

Activities & Honors

- President- Sigma Alpha Sigma
- Provost List-four semesters in a row

Kelly Marie Harrington

Hoover, Alabama Mathematics/Business May 2010

- Cross Country
- Track and Field
- Team Captain
- Pi Mu Epsilon Math Honor Society
- 2-time NCAA Academic All-American
- Troy Math Club
- Chancellor's Award Recipient

Preston Bradley Hayden

Troy, Alabama Sport and Fitness Management/Business Administration July 2010



Activities & Honors

- · Alpha Tau Omega
- KHP Club
- Chancellor's List
- Provost's List
- Leadership Scholar
- Who's Who Among College Students

LaMar Hicks

Tampa, Florida Sport and Fitness Management/Recreation December 2009



- Phi Beta Sigma
- Troy University Track and Field Team
- 4-time All Conference Selection- Track and Field
- 9-time Regional Qualifier
- All Mid-East Team- Track and Field
- School Record Holder in 100 meter dash
- Who's Who Among Colleges and Universities

Leanna Kennemur

Florence, Alabama Biomedical Sciences July 2011

Activities & Honors

- Circle K
- SGA Senator- Fall 2009
- University Honors Alliance
- University Honors Program
- Beta Beta Beta
- · Alpha Epsilon Delta
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Who's Who for Troy University
- Millennium Scholar

Jordan Blake King

Holly Pond, Alabama Athletic Training May 2010

Activities & Honors

- Chancellor's List
- Leadership Scholarship
- Delta Epsilon Iota Honor Society
- Troy University Athletic Training President
- Iota Tau Alpha Honor Society Secretary
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Chancellor's Fellowship Scholarship

Eriko Kubo

Chiba City, Japan Sport and Fitness Management May 2010

- PKP
- PEK
- KHP Club
- JAVA (Japanese Volunteer Association)

Burke Chadfield Leonce

Castries, St. Lucia Environmental Science July 2010



Activities & Honors

- Environmental Club- August 2007-present
- Red Cross Campus Club- August 2007-present
- 3.0 GPA Athletic Club- Spring 2007-present
- Read Across American participant- Spring 2007-present
- Commissioner's List-Spring 2008
- Chancellor's List- Fall semester 2008
- Pike Groundwater Festival Volunteer- Spring 2009
- · Academic All American- Spring 2009
- Troy University Debate and Speech Tournament (Most Outstanding Speaker, 1st place informative speech, 1st place story-telling, 2nd place poetry- March 2009)
- Natural Science Center tutor- Fall 2009-present
- Student Athlete Services tutor- Fall 2007-present

Burgundy J. Lewis

Lanett, Alabama Marketing December 2010

- AAA President- 2008-2009
- AAA Vice-President- 2007-2008
- Phi Gamma Nu President- 2009-2010
- Phi Gamma Nu Vice-President- 2008-2009
- Phi Gamma Nu Member- 2007-present
- SGA Gardner Hall Representative- 2006-2007
- Leadership Scholar
- S.T.A.R.T (Succeeding Together as Residents at Troy) Program
- Resident Hall Association
- Leadership Conference Advisory Board
- Alabama Girls State Counselor

Bennie F. Lewis

Greenville, Alabama Social Science Education/Biology May 2011



Activities & Honors

- Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.
 - -Treasurer
 - -President
- Resident Assistant
- Hall Ambassador
- Member of Resident Hall Association
- Member of Order of Omega
- Troy Cross Country and Track and Field
- Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges
- Troy University Athletics 3.0 Club
- Recipient of Mrs. Bertie Clark Cain and Veta Ross Tootle Scholarship Foundation Scholarship, 3 years straight

Jonathan Daniel Lowrey

McCalla, Alabama Social Science/Anthropology May 2011

Activities & Honors

- Member of Tau Kappa Epsilon (held multiple offices)
- Member of Troy Archaeology Society (held multiple offices)

Jeremy Mathews

Troy, Alabama Mathematics/Spanish May 2010

- President of Math Club
- President of Pi Mu Epsilon (National Mathematics Honor Society)

Mallory McDougald

Luverne, Alabama Elementary Education May 2010

Activities & Honors

- · Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority Alumni Relations Officer
- Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority Vice-President Member Development
- Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority President
- Mortar Board
- Order of Omega
- GAMMA
- Relay for Life
- Kappa Delta Pi Education Honor Society

Thomas Patrick McGlon III

Buford, Georgia Risk Management and Insurance/Leadership Studies (minor) December 2010

- Football scholarship recipient
- Chancellor's Scholar
- Who's Who Among College Students
- Sigma Chi Fraternity
- Trojan Ambassadors
- SGA- Traffic Appeals Committee and Senator
- Big Brother for Big Brothers and Big Sisters Program in Troy
- Assistant to the Dean of Students for over three years
- Interned with Lloyd's of London
- Interned in Baltimore, Maryland with All Risks Ltd.



James Peter Micciche

Charlottesville, Virginia Psychology/Military Science (minor) May 2010



Activities & Honors

- ROTC
- President- Psi Chi/Psi Lambda
- Brother and Social Chair- Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity
- Relay for Life Committee member
- Race Director-Troy Odyssey Half Marathon
- Child Advocacy Center Mentor
- Founder of Trojan Road Runners
- Race Director of Homecoming Campus Crawl

Kaitlin Frances O'Dell

Dothan, Alabama Psychology and ITP (double majors) July 2010 or December 2010

Activities & Honors

- Phi Kappa Phi
- Psi Chi
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- · Psi Lambda
- Girls Group Home Mentor

John Morakinyo Onadeko

Dothan, Alabama Chemistry/Pre-Engineering December 2011

- SGA Senator
- Troy University Resident Assistant
- Vice-President of RHA
- AAA
- UAC
- La'Couture Fashion Club
- Relay for Life
- Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.



Ellie LaShea Parker

Ozark, Alabama Political Science/English May 2010

Activities & Honors

- · Pi Sigma Alpha President
- Political Science Club President
- Omicron Delta Kappa President
- Chancellor's List
- National Scholars Honor Society
- Relay for Life
- Sigma Tau Delta
- SGA Governmental Relations Director
- Breast Cancer Campaign for Research
- College of Democrats
- College of Republicans
- Phi Alpha Theta
- The National Kidney Research Foundation
- Pre-Law Society
- National Down Syndrome Society

Haley A. Pittman

Dothan, Alabama English/Music May 2010

- Member of Sigma Tau Delta, English Honor Society
- President of Sigma Alpha Iota, music fraternity for women
- Past editor of Sigma Alpha Iota
- Member of Collegiate Singers for 6 semesters
- Member of Concert Chorale for 4 semesters
- Member of Alpha Lambda Delta
- Who's Who Among College Students

Tiffany D. Powell

Montgomery, Alabama Education/Spanish May 2011



Activities & Honors

- President- Students for Life
- Vice-President- CMENC
- Member of Sigma Alpha Iota
- Sound of the South
- Symphony Band
- Various concert bands
- Percussion Ensemble
- Jazz Ensemble
- Troy Symphony Orchestra
- Volunteer at the Women's Life Center

Judson Ricks

Goshen, Alabama Accounting May 2011

- Farmhouse Fraternity
- Freshman Forum
- UAC Executive Board
- Freshman Forum Director
- IMPACT Leader
- Accounting Society
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- Delta Mu Delta Business Honor Society
- Order of Omega Greek Honor Society
- Farmhouse International Fraternity Outstanding President of the Year- 2009
- Bettie Hopper Outstanding Graduating Senior Award
- Frank Sims and Sarah Smith Anderson Scholarship
- Chancellor's Scholarship



Malerie Ashton Sanders

Troy, Alabama
Business Administration- Marketing
December 2009

Activities & Honors

- Member of Marketing Club
- Marketing Club President- Fall 2009
- Member of American Marketing Association
- Member of Alpha Mu Alpha
- Recipient of Troy University Leadership Scholarship
- Recipient of Dempsey Boyd Scholarship

Tucker Scott Sargent

Danville, Alabama Broadcast Journalism with concentration in Sports May 2011

Activities & Honors

- · Lambda Chi Alpha President
- Troy Animal Advocates
- Troy SGA Senator
- 2009 Who's Who Among America's Colleges and Universities
- 2009 Lambda Chi Alpha Treasurer
- 2008 Lambda Chi Alpha Secretary
- 2007 Troy Freshman Forum

Samuel Gilbert Sellers

Troy, Alabama Biomedical Sciences May 2010

- Played D-1 Varsity football at Troy and lettered 3 years
- Member of AED honor society
- Member of Tri-Beta honor society
- Member of student-athlete 3.0 Club for 4 years

Rebecca Stauffacher

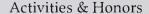
Spanish Fort, Alabama
Broadcast Journalism with concentration in Public Relations
December 2009

Activities & Honors

- National Broadcasting Society/Alpha Epsilon Rho Honor Society
 - -President (2008-2009)
 - -Secretary (2007-2008)
- Chi Omega Women's Fraternity
 - -Philanthropy/Community Service Director (2009)
 - -Assistant Treasurer (2008)
- American Cancer Society's Relay for Life
 - -Team Captain (2009)
 - -Committee Member (2007-2008)
- Alpha Epsilon Rho Award (2009)
- Alpha Lambda Delta National Honor Society
- Delta Epsilon Iota Academic Honor Society
- Lambda Pi Eta Communications Honor Society
- Leadership Scholar
- Mortar Board National College Senior Honor Society
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society

Sarah Hocutt Swedenburg

Montgomery, Alabama Vocal/Choral Music Education December 2010



- Troy University Leadership Scholar
- Choral Department Leadership Team
 - -Dr. Orlofsky's Assistant
 - -External Programs Assistant
- Concert Chorale Soprano Section Leader
- Concert Chorale Alto Section Leader
- Collegiate Singers Treasurer
- Baptist Campus Ministries Leadership Team
 - -Missions Director
 - -Activities Director
- Baptist Campus Ministries Praise Team
- Baptist Campus Ministries Creative Ministries Team



William Andrew Tatum

Florence, Alabama Business Management/Leadership Studies May 2011

Activities & Honors

- President- Delta Mu Delta Business Honor Society
- President & Chair of Communications Technology- Baptist Campus Ministries
- Supreme Court Justice, Senator, and Freshman Forum Member-Student Government Association
- Troy University Representative for the National Student Leadership Forum in Washington, D.C.
- College Republicans
- Troy University Lions International Youth Camp Conference Coordinator
- Chancellor's Scholarship Recipient
- Alabama State Trooper's Association Scholarship Recipient
- Who's Who Among America's College Students- 2009
- Alabama Collegiate Summit Representative
- Alpha Lambda Delta- Freshman Honor Society
- Alabama Collegiate Legislature Representative

Megan Thrower

Cullman, Alabama Psychology/Chemistry May 2010

Activities & Honors

- Vice-President of Christian Student Center
- Member of Psi Chi Honor Society

Monique Rene' Trice

Enterprise, Alabama Biomedical Sciences May 2010

- Vice-President of Mortar Board
- Treasurer- AED (Alpha Epsilon Delta)
- Member of Tri-Beta



Margaret Grace "Maggie" Uphaus

Troy, Alabama Social Work May 2010

Douglas L. Watkins

Washington, D.C.
Theatre/Creative Writing
May 2011

Activities & Honors

- Founder and Former President- Cinematography Society
- Member- Alpha Psi Omega- Theatre Honor Society
- Numerous roles
 - -Picasso in Picasso at the Lapin Agile
 - -Frog in Catfish Moon
 - -John McAdams in The Laramie Project
 - Wrote and directed "Love at First" that played during the Winter Shorts



Miriam (Mimi) Grace Williams

Troy, Alabama Biology/History July 2010

- · Phi Mu
- 2009 Homecoming Queen
- Student Government Association
 - -Senator
 - -Student Life Committee Chair
 - -Executive Assistant
 - -Director of Elections
 - -President Pro Temp
 - -Vice President of Legislative Affairs
- House of Representatives- President
- Order of Omega- Secretary
- Order of Alpha
- Alpha Lambda Delta
- G.A.M.M.A.- Treasurer
- Campus Outreach







